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GREATER SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TRADING AREA

HUGHES TO STAND PAT ON RECOGNITION OF RUSSIA

No Proof of Soviet Plans for Wrecking Our Institutions; Ready for Senate Quiz

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Secretary of State Hughes's Russian policy contemplates a gradual reassertion by the Russian people of their "right to live in freedom."

It is held that the tyrannical leaders of the soviet regime have passed the question of the "toleration or acquiescence" of the Russian people to remain an issue.

It is believed that the necessary measure of respect by a Russian government for the liberties of its people is respect by that government for the essential rights and liberties of the Russian people themselves.

Mr. Hughes would not have any official word or act spoken or done that would seem to place the seal of American approval on the general measures that have been adopted in Russia.

NO PROOF READY

Should the State opens its investigation into the Russian situation Mr. Hughes will be prepared to show not what he regards not as synthetic, but conclusive evidence of the activities of the Soviet agents to overthrow the institutions of the United States.

It will be able to demonstrate, it is said, the government's policy of recognition and clear understanding of the Hard-ing administration until the present time, when the republican party in the recent regime of Obregon has shown itself in international relations and defiance of principles to which almost interminable conferences are to be conducted make a mockery of Moscow by the Russian people responsible, he maintains.

Russian inquiry is expected to follow the whole Russian question from the institution of the Soviet regime in 1917 until today.

MAKES ARGUMENTS

It is also stated by Mr. Hughes he presented American recognition of Moscow when that regime was set up are: Seizure of power in Russia by a minority; suppression of free speech and other liberties; extermination by terror of political opposition, or death for the crime of civil agitation, this being the method of revolutionary organization; of voluntary organization, of work, requisitioning of property, with the result that Russia has been thrown into medieval destruction of the resources of the country.

Secretary Hughes's indictment of the soviet regime today includes additional charges.

Under the pressure of the consequences of the attempt ruthlessly to impose the communistic system in Russia, the government certain concessions to so-called semi economic principles, permitting a partial return of individual freedom, but that freedom is restricted to certain classes and is even unequal among those classes.

The Constitution continues in force as of the 1917 coup d'état.

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ROADHOUSE RAIDED BY DRY SQUAD

Four Persons, Including Woman, Are Taken When Liquor Is Found

Pre-holiday merrymakers last night at the Vernon Country Club roadhouse outside of the city limits were paid a surprise visit by prohibition agents headed by Divisional Chief Hunt, assisted by the District Attorney's dry squad under George Contreras.

A thorough search brought little liquor and the arrest of four persons. One distinction achieved, however, by the dry caravan was in the first arrest of a woman since the recent campaign against roadhouse parties was started. The woman, about 45 years of age, was at a table where officers reported they found liquor in glasses and under the table. As she was being escorted to the waiting machine it is asserted she dived her hand into her stocking and flung a pocket-size flask away. It was recovered. Her companion, who gave his name as George Richley, 1121 West Seventh street, also was arrested. The woman refused to give her name.

Two other men taken were P. L. Stults and Hugh O'Connell, the latter manager of the roadhouse. Officers said O'Connell is wanted for a previous charge filed at a raid on the Green Mill roadhouse, after which he was released on his own recognizance.

Bail for the quartet was set at $1000 on charges of violating the Volstead Act.

BANK DEPOSITORS TO GET FULL REPAYMENT

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—State Finance Commissioner Millspaugh announced that the depositors of the Broadway Bank, 1700 South Broadway, which closed its doors in 1915 after a run, will receive 100 cents on the dollar as the result of the settlement of a suit with the National Bank of Commerce, which was made yesterday. It was also announced that those who had savings accounts in the bank had already received 95 cents on the dollar and due to the settlement of the National Bank of Commerce suit, they will receive an additional 5 per cent. The stipulation dismisses the suit.

THE DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP

WEATHER: Clear. Wind at 5 miles. Thermometer, 5 miles. Thermometer, 60 deg.; low-est, 40 deg.; lowest. Forecast: For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair. For complete data, see last page of this section.

SPECIAL STORY. Daily installment of "Danger" will be found on Page 11, Part I.

SPORTS. Digest in Spanish of the world's sporting news events will be found on the last page of this section.

LOS ANGELES HARBOR NEWS. Complete list of the arrivals and departures of the day, and sort of weather will be found on Page 11.

EDITORIAL. For prevention exposed. Ways to use great drinking fee from Christmas and ornaments. Page 1, Part II.

Sabbath traffic is said to be so badly increased to die. Page 1, Part II.

Wrecked ship at sea rescued by ship's crew. Page 1, Part II.

Arrivals here on steamships from many ports. Page 1, Part II.

Los Angeles Harbor docks become crowded. Coastwise vessels are decorated with colors of all nations. Page 15, Part I.

Sessions of the Pacific Coast conference will be held early next week announced. Page 1, Part II.

Mayor Cryer will consider petition to buy the Harold Rodolphe Cole, California, 26 years of age. Page 1, Part I.

Fifty-second broken; more than 1000 were injured in 1923, it was announced. Page 11, Part I.

Plan for "completing" Los Angeles proposed by Los Angeles Realty Board, presented by Tweed and Hall in an article on page 1, Part II.

Views of University of Southern California here, said in Europe is not what America can expect of it that will follow. Page 1, Part II.

Colonel Goodcell is sued warning that Federal stamp taxes are being ignored and failure to pay levy on deed is dangerous. Page 13, Part I.

Samuel Goldwyn said city will remain screen capital; brings his company here and reported others will follow from East. Page 15, Part I.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Oil operators struck new field near Whittier with gigantic gusher. Page 1, Part 2.

San Diego planned to revive Christmas caroling on large scale for municipal celebration. Page 7, Part I.

Pasadena made final arrangements for Tourney of Roses New Year's Day. Page 7, Part II.

MEXICO. Mexican rebels reported on last legs as result of recent defeat at Puebla. Page 1, Part I.

Obregon reversed policy of former "Iron rulers" by giving freedom to captured insurgents. Page 1, Part I.

GENERAL EASTERN. Little Helen Hamilton, afflicted with ruptured heart, died with smile on her lips at Camden, N. J., after long and hopeless fight for life. Page 1, Part I.

Government statistics revealed problems of wheat farmer in fighting high production costs. Page 4, Part I.

Van Loon and Secretary Davis denounced Modernists in statements on dogmatic controversy. Page 1, Part I.

WASHINGTON. Plan of Secretary of State Hughes to stand pat on his non-recognition policy toward soviet was announced. Page 1, Part I.

FOREIGN. British, Canadian and Dutch steamship lines signed pact with soviet government for Russian passenger traffic. Page 2, Part I.

REMEMBER THIS
By H.M. STANSIFER

One reason some people are always successful is because they never attempt anything big.

CONGRESS IN DEADLOCK

Leaders Split on Issues

Radicals Rap Administration Program in Battle for Majority Rule

Democrats Watching Party Row With Presidential Race in Mind

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Members of Congress have gone home for the holidays to report to their constituents that nothing was accomplished during the first three weeks of the session and that prospects are not favorable to a record of achievement during the remaining months.

With radical Republicans holding the balance of power in both houses and devoting their energies to blocking the administration program, it is a practical certainty that both houses will be obliged to waste day after day in futile attempts to dispose of legislation.

When Congress reconvenes January 3 the Senate will find itself still deadlocked over the question of the election of chairman of the Committee on Interstate Commerce. The Senate already has proved itself unable to function, having occupied its time day after day in unsuccessful efforts to break the deadlock over this committee chairmanship.

SITUATION HOPELESS

So hopelessly involved is the Senate situation that it was even impossible to obtain consideration on the final day before adjournment of an emergency bill passed by the House for an extension of time during which thousands of cattle, which were taken over the Mexican border for grazing purposes during a period of drought in the Southwest, could be brought back free of duty. The Senate leaders were unable to break the jam in the Senate sufficiently to obtain action on this bill even though the directors of the War Finance Corporation appealed for emergency relief on the ground that otherwise large cattle loans made by the government could not be liquidated.

While the organization of the House has been completed and committees are ready for work there will be little opportunity for consideration of important legislation until after the controversy over a liberalization of the rules has been fought out. The rules committee under the promise given to the radicals at the time the Speakership deadlock was broken will deal with the various proposals for changes in rules immediately after the holidays.

Prospects are that the leaders in Congress, having in mind the approaching Presidential campaign, will devote a good deal of their time in coming months to explaining just why various kinds of legislation fail to get consideration. There will be a three-cornered attempt to pass the responsibility on to some one else. The Republican administration leaders will blame the radical Republican group, the radicals in turn will accuse the administration leaders of failing to be responsive to the real wishes of the people. The Democratic leaders will take delight in the Republican family quarrel and will put the blame for inaction on the majority party. The situation threatens to become ludicrous.

During the three weeks of the session thus far there have been 1566 bills introduced in the Senate and 4434 bills introduced in the House.

The House Ways and Means Committee is one of the few committees which has actually commenced work. This committee has spent three days in the consideration of administrative provisions of the treasury tax bill. While the full committee will not meet again until January 2, about half the members will remain in Washington during the holidays and, beginning next Wednesday, will work as a subcommittee in the further consideration of administrative sections. It is expected that the committee will dispose of this phase of tax revision by the middle of January and that after taking some time for the consideration of soldiers' bonus legislation it will be possible to have the work of dealing with changes in tax rates well advanced by the end of the month.

ACTION DOUBTED

It is considered doubtful, however, that the complete tax bill will be ready for presentation to the House before the end of February. In order to insure the passage of the administrative changes it may be decided that two separate bills should be reported. If the changes in tax rates should be placed in the same bill with the administrative provisions and it should prove impossible to adjust the controversies over tax rate changes there might be no tax legislation at all at this session. The bills will not be separated, however, until a more definite line is obtained on whether a bill satisfactory to the different elements can be drafted.

Administration leaders were glad to delay any consideration of the soldier bonus until after the holidays in order that members might have advantage of any favorable reaction to the adverse recommendation of President Coolidge when they go to their homes for Christmas. If the President's annual message supplemented by the declarations of Secretary Mellon in connection with the tax reduction program carried weight with the people of the country that fact should be evident to members of Congress during the holidays.

NOTED LAYMEN JOIN IN DOGMATIC DISCUSSION

Secretary Davis Defends Old Religion

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SHARON (Pa.) Dec. 23.—Standing in the pulpit of the little Welsh Baptist Church here, where as a boy he recited his Sunday School lessons, Secretary of Labor James J. Davis today pleaded for a "workaday Christianity, for the true, old-fashioned religion."

"I hold a deep and abiding faith in the firmness of the fountain of true religion, and I can see but little in the future for those who seek to tear down that foundation," said Mr. Davis. "To my mind true science and true religion can march forward hand in hand, and science need not seek to destroy that for which Christmas stands. In these days of many strange and weird beliefs we must hold fast to our faith in God, else neither individual nor nation can endure. I will take my religion in the old-fashioned way. We are becoming so modern in everything that some of us are even trying to modernize God.

"I hold no sympathy with the individual, who, because his limited vision will not permit him to believe, seeks to destroy the beliefs of others. To my mind the man who finds himself at odds with the religious faith he has embraced has but one course before him, if he cannot by legitimate means change the principles of that faith. That is to abandon that creed and to set up a creed of his own. There can be no excuse for the schismatic who seeks to pull down a whole religious structure because he finds fault with one of the timbers which has gone into its building."

Declaring that the desire to blot out the supernatural from the Bible, and to reduce everything to human finiteness, "has led infidels, Unitarians and higher critics to seek to discredit the doctrine of the Virgin Birth," Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher, pastor of the First Baptist Church, yesterday preached a strong sermon in favor of the orthodox stand on the ecclesiastical issue of the day. Dr. Brougher spoke in part as follows: "The statements of Scripture concerning the birth of Jesus are so simple and plain that there does not seem to be any special reason for misunderstanding them. The main reason for anyone denying that which is so clearly stated is the desire to get rid of the supernatural in connection with the life of Jesus. A great many people are so constituted that they want to reduce everything to the terms of natural law and human experience.

"The Virgin Birth is plainly prophesied. Isaiah declares 'A virgin shall be with child and shall bring forth a son and they shall call his name Immanuel, which is being interpreted, God with us.' There is no more reason to discredit this prophecy than in the prophecy that Jesus was to be born in Bethlehem.

"Matthew and Luke plainly declare in their records of the birth of Jesus that He was born of a virgin. No scholar has ever thrown any discredit upon those records.

"To deny the immaculate conception of Jesus is to place a stain upon the character of His Mother, to place the approval of God on unhallowed love and to give to an

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Modernist Trend Denounced by Van Loon

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—A little sermon that was not scheduled in any of the city's churches was preached on board the Holland-America Line steamship Nieu Amsterdam as she steamed through the mists of the harbor today to her pier in Hoboken.

The distinguished preacher was Hendrik Willem Van Loon, foremost authority in all matters Biblical and whose latest book, "The Story of the Bible," was written after several years of more intensive study of the Bible than many clergymen give it.

The author, after eight months abroad, did not exactly preach. He just talked straight from the shoulder, and those gathered about him nodded assent to what he had to say.

VIRGIN BIRTH

The author's remarks on the Bible, and religion in general, were prompted by information relative to the controversy now raging throughout a good part of the country about the virgin birth of Jesus Christ and other questions of religious dogma, much of which Mr. Van Loon had read about in European papers.

"The most important part of the Bible," said Mr. Van Loon. "is what Jesus said in the Sermon on the Mount. Many clergymen seem to think it is more important to know what Jesus wore or how He stood when He said it. All that is immaterial, but it is such things that are beclouding the real issues of religion.

"I was brought up very strictly in the Dutch Reformed Church, but I have never lost sight of the fact that what we must listen to is what Jesus actually said.

"In these days of religious controversy my word is: Do what Jesus said. Be kind, forgiving and be right, love your neighbor, no matter what form of religious belief he may believe in. We are all aiming for the same place, no matter what our respective church may be, and I cannot see why one person should put a stumbling block in the way of another.

"We know that Jesus was there when he preached the Sermon on the Mount and that is all that matters. Why worry about all this church dogma? It is distasteful to me, and always has been. If a man wants to take his religion without a lot of rules to follow, let him have it. A dozen men start for a certain point and each one may take a different road.

QUESTION OF RULES

"Some will make the journey with nothing but a tooth brush, while another may load himself down with a camping outfit, a library and other unnecessary things. Should the latter criticise the former because he is satisfied in going ahead with only the tooth brush? Well, isn't it the same about religion? Why should one party of churchmen find fault with others? If a man in the clergy does not like the rules prescribed for him by the head of the church, let him get out and

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GIRL LOSES DEATH BATTLE

Helen Hamilton Succumbs to Ruptured Heart After Long and Hopeless Fight in Poverty

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CAMDEN (N. J.) Dec. 23.—With a smile on her face and begging her mother not to worry, "for I am going to the angels," little Helen Hamilton, whose illness has attracted nation-wide attention due to the fact that she and her mother were evicted from their $6 furnished room here, died today at the home of Mrs. May Schock.

Up to the very moment when she closed her eyes Helen, who had just passed 13 years of age, continued to fight off the inevitable. The physicians, who long since agreed her case was hopeless, declared they had never seen such a heroic fight against tremendous odds.

KNEW DEATH NEAR

"I know I cannot live, mother," said little Helen, "but you have made me very happy because you said if I die Jesus will take me and be sweet to me. But please don't worry, and please don't get any more doctors."

At no time since little Helen was taken from a hospital more than two months ago, has she broken down and sobbed. Despite the knowledge of her grave condition Helen never lost hope, although she realized the end was near. At first she prayed that she would live until November 26, which was her thirteenth birthday. When that arrived and she was still alive

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RUM NAME LIST GONE

Elite of Capital Breathe Easier

All Said to be Patrons of Bootleg Sellers Just Arrested

If Found, Many Leading Personages May Face Prosecution

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Washington's 2500 residents listed as purchasers on the books of an alleged rum syndicate, members of which were arrested here Friday and Saturday, breathed a little easier tonight. The whereabouts of the list has become involved in mystery.

On the arrest of eleven persons charged with being connected with the bootleg ring, police said the list of 2500 purchasers has been seized and Asst. Dist.-Atty. Pressmont announced he would turn the names over to the grand jury for possible prosecution.

Today the location of the list could not be determined. Elmer Irey, chief of the special intelligence unit of the Internal Revenue Bureau, said some of those arrested had told him there was such a list but that he did not have it. Commissioner Oyster of the District of Columbia, under whose jurisdiction the police work, said he had been in a "partial jail" but that he had ordered all the evidence taken in the raid turned over to the Internal Revenue Bureau. The police added that all of the evidence had been given to two agents of Mr. Irey. These men, Mr. Irey said, had not seen the list.

Meanwhile demands for publication of the names have come from several sources.

LIST ASKED FOR

W. H. Stayton, executive head of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, made public a letter he had written Prohibition Commissioner Haynes asking that he authorize and have made "a complete and unexpurgated list of the names which have been found in the safe or desk of the alleged dispensers of illicit liquors in Washington, without fear or favor."

Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League, also asked for publication of the list and for prosecution of those named on charges of conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws.

Police and internal revenue agents today continued to investigate the case which already has brought about a record number of arrests for a single bootleg firm here. A foreign legation has been mentioned in connection with the case and officials admitted they were investigating this angle with a view to presenting the facts to the State Department.

HAYNES MAKES REPORT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Respect for the prohibition law is steadily growing and marked progress has been made in enforcement of the Harrison Narcotic Act, Prohibition Commissioner Haynes said today in a summary of enforcement activities for the year about to close. Outstanding accomplishments he named as follows:

Lessening of indifference on the part of State and municipal authorities as a result of governors' and citizenship conference growing out of the White House conference of governors.

Banning of liquor by many leading hotels and clubs, and strict enforcement by college authorities among students.

Breaking up of large liquor smuggling conspiracies through arrest and conviction of their leaders.

Revocation of brewery permits to halt the flow of illegal supplies to bootlegging centers and the reduction of supplies through careful supervision of bonded warehouse withdrawals.

Concentration of bonded liquor in official warehouses, resulting in a saving of more than $400,000.

Institution in nearly every State of the injunction, or "padlock" provisions of the law; issuance of regulations permitting inspection by State officers of places holding permits for legitimate manufacture, and tentative plans laid for curtailing smuggling on the Canadian border.

The report declared that more than 300,000 local officials were charged with "upholding the Constitution" and that 1523 Federal agents were engaged in enforcing the Volstead Act. The Federal force, the report said, made more than 80,000 arrests and seized property worth more than $4,000,000 during the last fifteen months.

JAIL IS CROWDED

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MARION (Ill.) Dec. 23.—Believing that the prohibition agents had all been called into Chicago for Christmas duty, bootleggers in "bloody" Williamson county decided to celebrate and make joy supreme. As a result, 138 are held under Federal bond or are in the Franklin county jail at Benton. Prohibition agents from Washington swooped down upon the county Saturday night and deputized local citizens to aid them and proceeded to make a systematic cleaning of the county. They made raids and arrests at Marion, Herrin, Carterville, Number Nine Mining Camp, Scottsboro, and at all the roadhouses in the county. As fast as arrested,

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COLLAPSE OF REVOLT IN MEXICO BELIEVED NEAR

Rebels on Last Legs as Result of Defeat by Obregon Forces at Puebla

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LAREDO (Tex.) Dec. 23.—Dispatches reaching here this afternoon indicate that the Mexican revolution is on its last legs. It appears that the battle waged between the insurgent armies and the Obregonistas at Puebla, during which the rebel forces were decisively beaten, had broken the backbone of the revolt.

The dispatches describe the federal assault on the key city as the fiercest battle of the rebellion during which the Obregon troops attacked from all sides using light and heavy artillery guided by airplanes. Hundreds of the rebels were killed and more than a thousand made captive.

Following this defeat, the dispatches say, Gen. Sanchez, commander in chief of the Huertistas left immediately for Vera Cruz to confer with De la Huerta regarding peace pourparlers.

DISPATCHES OPTIMISTIC

Vera Cruz dispatches today, as usual, are optimistic. Rebel headquarters report advances in the vicinity of San Lucrecia. The usual desertions are reported in which it is claimed Federal Gen Cavazos has deserted Obregon taking with him 1500 troops.

San Lucrecia is the most important city on the isthmus of Tehuantepec and one of the key points in an advance on the capital of that State. Obregon, it is known, has deployed troops at the strategic mountain passes and any rebel attempt to cut through will be contested by seasoned Federal soldiers.

The concensus of opinion seems to be that De la Huerta within the next day or two will make some move to arrange the best terms of surrender.

DEFEAT CONFIRMED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 23.—Confirmation of the capture of Puebla by Federal troops on the Vera Cruz front issued here today by the war office says that "innumerable" rebels were killed in the fighting there and 1000 insurrectionists taken prisoner.

The Federal losses in dead and wounded are reported as being slightly more than 100.

Airplanes are credited with having made a particularly excellent showing for the Federals having bombarded the rebel forces outside the city most effectively, it is stated, and dropped more than ninety bombs on the rebel entrenchments.

FEDERAL STATEMENT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The Mexican embassy issued a statement tonight setting forth the achievements of the forces of President Obregon.

"The Mexican embassy has been officially advised by Mexico City," the embassy's statement said "that Saturday at noon, after severe fighting, the government troops recaptured the city of Puebla, the reactionary rebels' stronghold in the central plateau, where they had concentrated the main body of their forces to withstand the advance of the Federal troops.

"Gen. Martinez, commander of the victorious troops, in announcing the recapture of Puebla, reported that up to that time more than 1000 prisoners, fully armed and equipped, had been taken and that the rest of the rebels disbanded in all directions and are being actively pursued.

"This victory is a decisive blow to the rebels, and enables the government to consider unhindered the offensive for the stamping out of the rebellion.

"The rest of the republic continues under the full control of the government and conditions are normal.

"Military operations against Guadalajara already have begun and a heavy military column has been placed on the Colima railroad."

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HANDS WIFE PISTOL; SAYS "SHOOT ME"

Woman Refuses; Man Later Turns Gun on Self and Fires Into Heart

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—After his wife had refused to shoot him, as he had requested, and had hidden the revolver, John E. Arnold, 3257 Liberty street, Alameda, again obtained the weapon and, standing beside her in their living room, sent a bullet through his heart today. He died a few minutes later at the Alameda Emergency Hospital.

"Here, Alice, take this gun and shoot me," Arnold had requested at the dinner table during a domestic argument.

Refusing her husband's extraordinary request, Mrs. Arnold took the revolver handed to her and secreted it beneath the mattress in their upstairs bedroom.

Appearing in the livingroom a few minutes later with the revolver in his hand, Arnold placed his other hand on his wife's shoulder. "Well, honey, I'm going to do it," he muttered, and placing the weapon to his breast, pulled the trigger. He crumpled to the floor.

Arnold, 43 years of age, traveling salesman for a San Francisco surgical instrument house, had been melancholy and depressed for more than a month. According to his wife they had indulged in many domestic controversies recently, the last one taking place just before the shooting.

Nippon Cabinet Member Quits Post in Huff

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

TOKIO, Dec. 23.—Baron Kenjiro Den, Japanese Minister of Justice, today tendered his resignation from the Cabinet owing to the failure of passage of an insurance bill for which he was responsible. The resignation has not yet been accepted.

Baron Den is insisting upon the acceptance of his resignation and Premier Yamamoto is seeking a successor. Den's resignation is regarded as strengthening the Cabinet as he has not been able to agree with his colleagues.

The upper house of the Diet passed the amended reconstruction budget, which was trimmed $50,000,000 several days ago at the demand of the Seiyukai, the majority political party. The Diet will be prorogued Monday for its regular session commencing Tuesday.

MISSISSIPPI NEGROES KILL TWO OFFICERS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

JACKSON (Miss.) Dec. 23.—Allie Lancaster, town marshal of Bolton, Miss., and a deputy marshal named Hampton, were shot and instantly killed by two negroes, suspected of having robbed and killed another negro at Edwards, a few miles west of Bolton.

FREES CAPTURED REBELS

Obregon Reverses Policy of Former "Iron Rulers" of Mexico Toward Revolutionists

BY JACK STARR-HUNT

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 21 (via Laredo, Tex. Delayed)—President Obregon has reversed the extermination policy of Porfirio Diaz, Victoriano Huerta and other "iron rulers" of Mexican history, and is inclined toward forgiveness and pardon toward the revolutionists of both Vera Cruz and Jalisco.

It is pointed out that rebellious generals cannot fight unless backed by armed men, and that on former occasions these men have often wished to return to peaceful pursuits, but fear of their fate if captured kept them in arms and even made bandits of many.

SIXTY PRISONERS FREED

After the recent fight in which the Federals recaptured the important railroad junction point of San Marcos, sixty enlisted men from the rebel ranks were brought to Mexico City. Instead of being thrown into prison to await an uncertain fate, they were lined up before the War Minister, Gen. Francisco R. Serrano, who delivered an address advising them to be loyal in future and turned them loose upon explicit orders from President Obregon.

The men were told, virtually, to ramble on about their own business, and each was given a small amount to restart civilian life. The officers captured with the men were not let off so easily, but were not executed at dawn as they would have been under past policy. They are still held in military prison, awaiting trial, and their fate is not expected to be the extreme penalty as long as the government is convinced they will avoid revolution in the future.

CAPITAL INDIFFERENT

Meanwhile, Mexico City reads its newspapers almost with indifference as to progress of fighting going on within 100 miles of the city. The population, busily engaged in Christmas shopping, is assuming a watchful waiting attitude toward the military situation. All commercial activities through Vera Cruz, are, of course, abandoned, and the Tampico gateway, is crowded with Christmas shipments for which the merchants are clamoring.

There are informal meetings of Senators, with an insufficient number in the city to form a quorum. Discussion of the ratification of the United States claims convention is occupying prominently the interest of the commercial world. It is not believed the Mexican Senate will reject entirely the conventions, when at the present moment their ratification could be expected to bring about favorable opinion at Washington. Opinions here are divided on what final action the Senators will take.

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Even Democrats Praising Frankness and Courage of President

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.— Managers of the respective candidacies of President Coolidge and Senator Johnson, California, for the Republican nomination of President, profess themselves elated with the situation as it presents itself at the beginning of the canvass for delegates to the national convention.

The Coolidge backers are registering joy over the public reception of the President's message which it had been conceded previously would either give the Executive a flying strat or put a damper on his ambition to succeed himself.

The public reaction as reflected in the letters and telegrams to the White House, the utterances of representative men and women and newspaper editorials is even more favorable than they had dared to hope for, say the Coolidge boosters. Particularly pleasing to them were the editorials in many Democratic newspapers, nearly all of which lauded the frankness and courage of the message, while not a few found themselves in agreement with the President on some policies, particularly his plan of tax reduction.

FLYING START

So Mr. Coolidge is off with that flying start, according to his admirers, and the question now is whether he can maintain the pace until the convention meets and the balloting begins. As President he possesses prestige and power and influence that give him many advantages over any rival candidate and as a result of these advantages he starts with several hundred delegates virtually in hand. It will take hard work and no other candidates to overtake him before the convention meets.

Of course, there is a multitude of political accidents which may befall the President in the next few months checking, if not halting, his progress toward the nomination and neither Mr. Coolidge nor his managers have any illusions on this score. He may blunder in his administration. He may fail to make any headway with his legislative program in Congress.

That would not be surprising, in view of the precarious Republican control in both the House and Senate due to the insurgency of Republican radicals and the slender Republican majority at best. The President might not be to blame for a failure to achieve favorable action on tax reduction and other measures he advocates but the public customarily blames the Executive for the faults of a Congress controlled though only nominally, by his party.

If the revival of prosperity should be checked noticeably and another period of hard times set in the President doubtless would suffer a loss of popularity, as did Mr. Harding in 1923. Then the Progressive, if not radical, West may decide that Mr. Coolidge is entirely too conservative and make a leap for the Johnson band wagon, though the indorsement of the President by the Republican convention in South Dakota convinced the White House of a favorable situation in that part of the country.

There will be 1109 delegates at the convention and 555 will be necessary to nominate. The Coolidge managers are counting on gathering in the 106 New England delegates with little or no trouble and most of the 260 in the solid South, or 286, if the border States be included. That would give the President 392 delegates. If he were measurably successful and captured 250 of these delegates he would need only New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania to put him over on the first ballot.

HIRAM CONFIDENT

The Johnson adherents concede the advantages accruing to the President, but regard some of them as exceedingly costly advantages which will redound to his injury as a candidate. They assert that the switching of the national convention from Chicago to Cleveland because of fear of Johnson sentiment in Illinois and the boosting of southern representation by the national committee under the domination of Coolidge partisans will swing thousands of votes to the California Senator.

Frank Hitchcock, Johnson manager, does not contemplate seeking delegates in Mississippi, Georgia, Florida and South Carolina, where there is virtually no primary and the administration job-holders are in control. There will be a Johnson ticket in Alabama and North Carolina.

The fiery Pacific Coast Senator is getting ready to let go with both barrels at the Coolidge policies and his adherents are confident that he will have the President on the defensive in short order, particularly in the western direct-primary States, in which he has challenged the Executive to contest with him for the delegates and the expression of preferences.

WOOLWORTH TO DENVER
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

DENVER, Dec. 23.—That Denver would be headquarters for the Woolworth stores in Colorado, Wyoming and Utah with part of Montana, North and South Dakota, Idaho, Minnesota, Nebraska and Kansas, was announced by Woolworth officials, when that company leased the entire sixth floor of the Commonwealth Building. The new Denver location will be occupied about January 1, with a personnel of 100 employees.

BUILD SNOW FENCES
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 23.—A force of men are at work near Racine, building snow fences along both sides of Sheridan Road leading to Milwaukee county. About 10,000 feet of fencing is to be erected to a height of about seven feet as a protection to the highway from snowdrifts.

GLASS SLIPS, STIRS CUPID

Physician Cures Injured Finger and Wins Hand of Student of Journalism

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Benjamin F. Barnes, enterprising young Yonkers physician, who cared for the badly cut finger of Miss Katheryn V. Potter, Columbia University journalism student, a year and a half ago, not only saved the finger but won the whole hand. The couple were married here today.

The 18-year-old bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Potter.

"I met Dr. Barnes through an accident," she said. "A glass slipped, cutting my finger deeply. There is just a tiny scar left, but I don't regret that at all."

The young surgeon inquired his patient's telephone number, according to her father, and although he was not successful interesting her at first it was a case of "try, try again." Although Miss Potter continued her studies until recently, the prospect of a journalistic career came to hold little interest for her. She and Dr. Barnes agree that the home in the Yonker will hold greater happiness for her than any newspaper office in the world.

VAN LOON RAPS MODERNIST IDEA

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find rules that do make him happy.

"The whole matter bores me. When dogmatic rows start, I go out the window."

APPROVES DEBATE
[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

BOSTON, Dec. 23.—Bishop William B. Lawrence of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts, in his sermon at St. Paul's Cathedral today, expressed himself on the theological battle being waged between fundamentalists and modernists of different denominations.

Declaring that the Christian who supports his faith by intelligence is stronger than "he who thinks not," Bishop Lawrence said, "the Christian faith has been a potent source of the light of reason. Some timid people are afraid to use their brains in things religious. They believe in simple, emotional calls and ignorant faith. If our bodies are temples of the Holy Ghost, our brains must be included."

The bishop said that the public discussion of religious topics was not to be deplored and that it apparently signified a wide interest relating to the Christian faith.

"Many earnest Christians," he said, "deplore such a public discussion. It is of no use to deplore, the discussion is here and will continue till the people are satisfied and while there are many dangerous drawbacks, there is much, it seems to me, to be grateful for. Is it not suggestive that millions of people, a large proportion of whom have no close relations with the church, are interested in the problems relating to the Christian faith."

TRUCE OBSERVED
[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal church in their sermon today conformed to the appeal of Bishop William T. Manning's diocesan letter, asking for a "Christmas truce" in the controversy between modern and conservative factions.

The Rev. Charles Francis Potter of the West Side Unitarian Church, however, asserted this woe not the season for a truce but rather the time to proclaim a new order. Rev. Mr. Potter last Thursday won technically the first of a series of debates with Rev. John Roach Stratton of Calvary Baptist Church, on the questions at issue between the two factions.

Dr. William Norman Guthrie, rector of St. Marks in the Bouwrie, touched upon the controversy indirectly in a sermon, in which he contrasted Greek and Hebrew civilizations.

"No book," he said, "is the work of God. Jesus Christ is the only word of God. No book can be inspired."

He asserted that because of Bishop Manning's request he was holding over until next Sunday a statement of his creed.

DAVIS DEFENDS OLD RELIGIONS

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untrue woman the highest honor ever conferred on womanhood. The Virgin Birth is also necessary to account for the sinlessness of Jesus.

"Lastly, the Virgin Birth is connected with the Deity of our Lord, and it is the fact of His Deity that makes Him worthy of our adoration and worship. It is His Deity that exalts Him to the place of supreme authority as Teacher, Lord and Master. Coming as a child into the world, God enters into full sympathy with all the experiences of humanity and becomes what the angels declared Him to be — 'A Savior, who is Christ the Lord.'"

Boys Peeved by Girl, Accused of Beating Her Up

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Because she denied them admittance to her birthday party Saturday night, 16-year-old Mary McDougall, 225 Gates street, was beaten so badly by two youths that she had to be treated at the Central Emergency Hospital today. Early in the evening the boys were told they were not welcome at the party and near midnight, when the McDougall girl went to the corner to buy a newspaper, they beat her severely.

Her stepfather, Jack McLaughlin, after hearing Mary's story rushed out of the house and met one of the lads and started a little beating on his own account until stopped by bystanders. Police are investigating the many-angled affair.

POULTRY PLANT BURNS
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 23.—More than $75,000 loss was sustained last night when the Ralls County Mercantile Company's plant at Center, Mo., and a large stock of poultry and eggs burned. Thirty-five hundred live chickens were burned and part of two cars of eggs and poultry lost. The large warehouse and cold-storage plant of the company was destroyed.

HUGHES STANDS PAT ON RUSSIA

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d'etat. Civil liberties are insecure, the only press is that controlled by the soviet regime, and labor is still at the mercy of the State.

Mr. Hughes reasserts that the United States recognizes the right of revolution, and the American principle of nonintervention in the internal concerns of other peoples has long been established, but he holds to be essential also these considerations:

That recognition is an invitation to intercourse, the conditions of which have been repeatedly declared, and twice informally to the Moscow government, first on March 25, 1921, when Mr. Hughes voiced also America's deep sympathy for the Russian people, and in his statement of December 18, last.

On various other occasions, Mr. Hughes has stated this government's wish to see evidences of the abandonment of the soviet regime's hostile policy and its desire to see a basis for helpfulness. He insists that the foremost necessity is an abandonment by that regime of its threat to America and the world with its destructive propaganda.

MUST REGAIN RESPECT

Russia, Mr. Hughes will reaffirm, can only take her place among the nations on the basis of mutual helpfulness and respect. He believes this attitude and this requirement on the part of the United States proves the sincere friendliness of the American people for the Russian people who are the immediate victims of the Communist usurpation.

Mr. Hughes is prepared to submit to the Senate proof that the soviet policy of confiscation is not yet at an end; that there is no assurance against the future arbitrary treatment of Americans in Russia; that those in control in Moscow have not given up their original intention of destroying existing governments wherever they can do so throughout the world; that soviet propaganda and efforts in that direction are lessened in intensity only by reduction of the cash resources at the regime's disposal; that the changes in the soviet laws are unsatisfactory and inadequate; that the soviet regime has not shown either ability or disposition to discharge international obligations.

UP TO RUSSIANS

The fundamental decisions to be made, in Mr. Hughes's opinion, lie with the Russian people themselves who have been intimidated and whose rights have been suppressed by the Communist minority. Until the Russian people themselves have spoken or until they have signified their will, according to him, no ground for helpfulness can be furnished, because the matters at point are ultimately in the control of the Russian people.

For these reasons, Mr. Hughes maintains the question of recognition cannot now be determined. It is not a question, he holds, either of economic conditions or of the stability of the soviet regime.

The State Department's evidence of conditions in Russia establishes that Russian needs industry and trade but cannot get either in more than relatively insignificant volume, because neither can be created by formal trade agreements.

Russia needs investment, but investment cannot come until there is assurance of security, and it is undesirable to encourage adventurers. To buy, Russia must have something to buy with; to borrow there must be dependable guarantee and unquestioned good faith; these are lacking.

ASSURANCES FUTILE

Mr. Hughes feels it would be of no avail to speak of assurances when valid obligations and rights are repudiated and property is confiscated. He has no word that the soviet decree of January 21, 1918, has been modified in the least. That decree said: "Unconditionally, and without any exceptions all foreign loans are annulled."

Mr. Hughes will be able to show that no more dependence may be placed in the soviet regime's promises today than in 1921, when it addressed to President Harding and to Congress a message saying: "The soviet republic, entirely absorbed in the work of internal reconstruction and of building up its economic life, has not the intention of intervening in the internal affairs of America, and the All-Russian executive committee makes herewith a categorical declaration to this effect."

The State Department possesses authenticated declarations by practically everyone of the group of Communists who dominate and direct the soviet regime. These declarations stretch all the way from recent weeks to the demonstrably false first disavowal by Moscow of its revolutionary machinations and activities in the United States. They include the following:

SOME DECLARATIONS

Zinovieff, author of the recent instructions to Communists in the United States, declared in November, 1922: "The eternal in the Russian revolution is the fact that it is the beginning of the world revolution."

Lenin, before the congress of the Third Internationale in the fall of 1922, said: "The revolutionists of all countries must learn the organization, the planning, the method and the substance of revolutionary work. Then I am convinced the outlook of the world revolution will not be good, but excellent."

Trotsky, addressing the fifth congress of the Russian Communist youths in October, 1922, stated: "That means, comrades, that revolution is coming in Europe as well as in America, systematically, step by step, stubbornly and with gnashing of teeth in both camps. It will be long, protracted, cruel and sanguinary."

Those declarations are taken to refute the statement made by Senator Borah during the Senate discussion of the Zinovieff instructions to American Communists, which said:

"What I want to say is that the soviet government, neither directly nor indirectly, in my opinion, for the last three years has in any way countenanced or urged or promulgated or indorsed or connived at any attempt to overthrow the American government."

HUGHES CITES DATE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Acknowledgment of the connection between the soviet republic and Communist Internationale was made in the Izvestia, the soviet organ, November 7, 1922, it was said today at the State Department. The date was made public in connection with Moscow press dispatches quoting Stecklof, editor of the paper, as challenging Secretary Hughes to produce the date on which the article was printed.

Stecklof branded the document from which Mr. Hughes quoted in his recent statement dealing with Russian propaganda as a "forgery, probably purchased by the American secret police from some white-guard organization such as exists in Latvia for the express purpose of fabrication."

CHILD LOSES IN DEATH BATTLE

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who told her it ought to be up shortly. Then Mrs. Hamilton grew alarmed and a hurry call was sent for the physicians. The doomed child was still alive when they arrived.

REPEATS FAREWELL

Only once did Helen speak after their arrival. She asked her mother not to worry, and again said she was going to the angels.

Little Helen died of a ruptured heart, and according to all the physicians who have treated her, she suffered intense agony with every breath she took. A mild oplate was given the child, but it barely relieved her suffering. Soon she became too weak to take anything for relief.

About eight years ago Helen was on her way to school with two little companions when she was pushed in a post hole "just for fun" by her school mates. The child was then covered over, dirt being piled high almost to suffocation. She suffered a rupture of the heart as a result, and her strange malady attracted attention among physicians throughout New Jersey and other States. About two months ago when her case was given up and declared hopeless by recognized specialists Mrs. Hamilton took the child out of the hospital and brought her to her furnished room at 317 Linden street, this city.

EVICTED FROM ROOM

The house is owned by Mrs. Maggie Rogers, who refused to have the child in the house, and on November 17 evicted Mrs. Hamilton and the girl. Mrs. Hamilton paid $6 a month for the furnished room.

The eviction attracted wide attention and Mrs. May Schock asked Mrs. Hamilton and her daughter to share her home with her. Mrs. Hamilton gladly accepted the offer, and picking Helen up in her arms, carried her to Mrs. Schock's home, where they have been ever since.

Fireman Finds His Own Kiddies Dead in Blaze

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

GALLIPOLIS (O.) Dec. 23.—James Cheman, fireman of the Albany volunteer fire department, answering an alarm of fire last night, found two of his children dead and another badly burned and his home destroyed as the result of the children's playing with matches. He collapsed when he found his children dead.

The children had been put to bed by their mother, according to information received here. When she left the room, the three began playing with matches. The mattress was ignited and the children were enveloped by the flames.

Albany is a little mining village near here.

Dirigible and Crew Battle Violent Gale

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

TOULON (France) Dec. 23.—The French dirigible Dixmude, with fifty officers and men aboard, which had been drifting seemingly helplessly today in a violent gale over the Gulf of Gabes, was sighted at 7 o'clock tonight over Barj Tatahouin, south of Hedinin, Tunis. All aboard were considered safe. It only remained to find a suitable place to land.

NAVY FLYERS FALL; CREMATION ESCAPED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CHEYENNE (Wyo.) Dec. 23.—A Navy airplane crashed while attempting to take off from the air mail field here yesterday, and was destroyed by fire. The pilot, Lieut. J. D. Price, and Mechanician R. E. Burgsten, escaped injury. Price, unable to extricate himself and in danger of cremation, was rescued by Burgsten, who broke through a wing to reach him. The airplane and a companion ship stopped here for the night while en route from San Diego, Cal., to Washington, D. C.

STEAMER LINES IN RUSSIAN PACT

British and Dutch Firms Sign With Soviet

Agreement Applies Only to Passenger Trade

Mixed Company Will Have Offices in Moscow

BY JOHN STEELE
[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The Evening Standard reports the signing of an important agreement between the soviet government and a group of British and Canadian and Dutch steamship companies, with the object of developing overseas passenger traffic to and from Russia. The agreement specifically states that it refers to passengers, and not freight. It provides for the formation of a mixed company, with headquarters in Moscow and branches throughout Russia. On the board of directors there will be three English and three Russian representatives. In addition there will be a British representative in Moscow.

A deposit already has been made to further these developments, said by the Standard to run "well into five figures," sterling. The Russian government in addition to other fees receives a fee for every passenger brought in.

The soviet government is represented in the company by a Russian volunteer fleet and state mercantile fleet, while the British, Canadian and Dutch interests are represented by the Canadian Pacific Railway and Steamships, Cunard, Anchor, Donaldson and Holland and American Steamship Lines, and affiliated companies.

None of the Russian group embraces steamship services. Every important ocean route and the railways of Canada and the United States and their general transportation facilities will be of the highest value to the soviet government.

MEXICO REVOLT NEAR COLLAPSE

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road, thus cutting the rebels' retreat to the Pacific."

PUEBLA OCCUPIED
[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 23 (Via Laredo, delayed.)—Federal troops entered Puebla at 1 o'clock this afternoon after artillery bombardment of Loreto and Guadalupe forts lasting seven hours, according to reports here from Santa Ana, Chiautempa, State of Tlaxcala. Yaqui troops, under Gen. Jose Amarillos, are said to have distinguished themselves.

Federal aviators dropped pamphlets telling of the victory, and newspapers carrying Presidential manifestos into the camp of the troops under Gen. Enrique Estrada to enlighten the soldiers as to the methods the rebel leaders employed to induce them to oppose the government and promising pardon to all enlisted men who rejoined the Federal army, as was done with prisoners captured at San Marcos.

Train guards on the Mexico City and Laredo line have been doubled on account of a band of raiders who have been tearing up sections of the track, delaying the Laredo train due last night.

REBELS TAKE TOWN
[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

VERA CRUZ, Dec. 23.—Cuernavaca, capital of the State of Morelos and about forty miles south of Mexico City, has been captured by the rebel troops under Gen. Figueroa, according to a statement issued by revolutionary headquarters here.

The forces of Gen. Figueroa came from the State of Guerrera in their advance on Mexico City.

The general situation in the area held by the revolutionists shows no change. Puebla has not been evacuated by the rebels, who still are fighting in the suburbs against the Federal forces.

Fighting is continuing at Santa Lucrecia, on the isthmus of Tehuantepec, where the Federals are resisting the rebels. A train with twenty men wounded in this fighting has arrived here.

Generals Cavazos and Payan who were in command of regiments of Obregon troops, have arrived here and placed themselves at the disposal of general revolutionary headquarters. They joined the rebel forces with their troops at San Marcos.

Gov. Felipe Carillo of Yucatan, well known for his Communistic activities, who fled with the public funds when the rebels seized Merida, has been arrested by rebels commanded by Capt. Jose Cortez, according to a message given out at rebel headquarters here today. The message said the entire State of Yucatan was under the control of the revolutionists.

DENIES CURRENCY RUMOR
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 23. (via Laredo, Tex. Delayed)—A flat denial was issued at the Treasury Ministry today that the Mexican government intends issuing paper currency or floating an internal loan to meet the growing expenses due to the revolutionary campaign. Rumors that one or the other course might be adopted have been current in financial circles. Business men here remember with horror the 1916 paper currency period, and though the paper volume never reached such proportions as in Germany and Russia, the very thought of perhaps paying $9 pesos for a toothbrush sets the average person frantic.

It was said at the Ministry that although the government was facing heavy expenses in meeting the army expenses contracted for and due January 1, only between $300,000 and $400,000 is needed to make the full amount and that this will be forthcoming before the end of the year.

OBREGON JUBILANT
[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 23 (via Laredo.) (Delayed.)—Enthused with the complete rout of rebels under Sanchez at Puebla, President Obregon today in an interview indicated he would depart soon for the Jalisco sector to direct the campaign against the insurgents at Guadalajara.

The blow struck the rebels at Puebla was emphasized by Obregon with the statement that their forces consisted of approximately 4000 men, the pick of the rebel forces.

REFUGEES ARRIVING
[Copyright, 1923, by the Chicago Tribune]

TAMPICO (Mex.) Dec. 23.—All the wives and children of the men employed by the Huasteca Company in the lower oil fields, have arrived at the company's terminal across the river from this city, they can be sent to the United States, the company deciding that regardless of the quiet conditions prevailing they will be better off in their homes.

It is rather a peculiar incident that the Huasteca is the only company taking such action, for an inquiry today at the offices of the other American and foreign companies brought to light the fact that none of the other companies were even considering such a move.

LITTLE EXCITEMENT

Telephone communication to all the camps in the south fields today proved that there was not a ripple of excitement. A Japanese was killed and robbed at Chorreras, the international terminal on the gulf, Wednesday by local thugs, but it was the only unlawful act outside of the Juan Casiana raid so far recorded. All the towns which have turned over to the rebels are reported quiet and no military movements of any kind are known. The total number of soldiers who have turned over amount only to a few hundred. When asked why such precautions as are being taken in Tampico are necessary the officers merely shrug their shoulders.

Mexicans and foreigners are making great preparations to celebrate Christmas, and were it not for the hundreds of rumors afloat which when run down are found to have no foundation, Tampico would be unaware of a revolution. It simmers down to this: If the government wins there will be no trouble here, and if the rebels win there will be nothing else for the small garrisons here to do but turn over, so there will be no more trouble.

SHOP FORCE INCREASED
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 23.—The number of employees at the Logansport division shops of the Pennsylvania that was cut to 300 men on November 24 has been increased to 1100, local officials of the company have announced. On January 1, 600 additional men will return to work, increasing the force to the normal number.

NAVY SQUADRON IN AFRICA
[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

CAPE TOWN (South Africa) Dec. 23.—The British naval squadron which is on a cruise to the various parts of the empire, arrived here.

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RUM CUSTOMER LIST VANISHES

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the prisoners were taken to cars and taken to [illegible] they were taken before Commissioner William Hart. The bail is said to have been [illegible] that no more could be [illegible]

FINES OR RAIDS

Among those arrested is alleged bootlegging [illegible] Otis Clark, who was the first indicted in the Harris case, who was alleged to have been leader of the forces that [illegible] nonunion men.

Clark is alleged to have [illegible] upon the prohibition agents men making the raids were armed and in each case their raids with drawn guns. They confiscated tons of whisky, "white mule," gambling devices, [illegible] upon the gambling [illegible] as evidence. The raids were [illegible] without the knowledge or [illegible] operation of Williamson officials.

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YEARLY DEATH RATE GAINING

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Less Fatalities Expected to Show 12 Per Cent Gain

Many Diseases, However, Are Now Under Control

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—A slightly increased death rate in the United States and Canada for the year 1923 was predicted in the report of current life insurance mortality records submitted to the seventy-fourth annual meeting of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents here today. Also it was estimated that deaths from automobile accidents in 1923 will exceed those of 1922 by nearly 12 per cent.

The combined records of forty-seven leading life insurance companies showing death of policyholders during the first ten months of 1923 were presented by Dr. Henry Toulmin, vice-president and medical director of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia.

These records show a death rate of 7.931 per 1000 for the first ten months of this year, as against 7.8 in the like period of 1922 and 8.23 in 1921.

AUTO BIG FACTOR

Automobile accidents influenza and pneumonia were the chief causes of the increased number of deaths among policyholders during the current year. Organic heart disease, cerebral hemorrhage and Bright's disease also are increased. On the other hand decreases are noted in typhoid fever, tuberculosis, cancer and suicides. Among children's diseases scarlet fever, diphtheria and meningitis show decreases, while measles and whooping cough increased.

The figures reported in Dr. Toulmin's address today cover deaths among 30,000,000 insured lives during the first ten months of 1923. The total of deaths from all causes in this group was 233,343, as compared with 209,066 for the first ten months of last year. Automobile accidents alone took a toll of 4,600 lives in this group, as compared with 3295 during the same period last year.

AVERAGE FIGURES

Assuming that deaths among uninsured occur at the same rate as those among the insured, which is a conservative assump-

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The combined records of forty-two leading life insurance companies showing death of policyholders during the first ten months of the year, presented by Dr. John Dill Robertson, vice-president and medical director of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia, show a death rate of 1148 per 100,000 for the first ten months of this year, as against 1138 in the like period of 1922 and 1108 in 1921.

FLU BIG FACTOR

Automobile accidents influenza and pneumonia were the chief causes of the increased number of deaths among policyholders during the current year. Organic diseases, cerebral hemorrhage and Bright's disease also showed increases. On the other hand decreases are noted in typhoid fever, tuberculosis, cancer and pneumonia. Among children a decrease is shown in diphtheria deaths and whooping cough deaths.

Figures reported in Dr. Toulmin's address cover deaths among insured lives in the first two months of 1923. The total of deaths from all causes in this group was 121,182, as against 109,646 for the corresponding months of last year. Automobile accidents alone took a toll of 2,000 in this group, as against 1,600 during the corresponding months of last year.

NEGRO FIGURES

Among the deaths among insured negroes at the same period among the insured, it is a conservative assumption, owing to the fact that insured lives are selected, the total number of deaths in the United States for the full year will amount to more than 1,326,000," said Dr. Toulmin.

"On the same basis, the total number of deaths from automobile accidents for the year 1923 will approximate more than 16,000, an increase of nearly 12 per cent, in the death rate from that cause over last year.

"The outstanding feature of the ten months experienced—one which is indicative of a very deplorable state of affairs—is the marked increase in death from automobile accidents and injuries.

"There were 620 more actual deaths in the first ten months of 1923 than in the same period of 1922 and the death rate for 100,000 was 14.4 compared with 12.9 in 1922 and 12.2 in 1921.

"Are the State laws and regulations governing the licensing of automobile drivers sufficiently protective? Have our municipalities adopted rules of traffic which will result in the minimum of accidents. Are the punishments for infractions of law sufficiently severe and properly enforced?

PARENTS TO BLAME

"Are the parents, more particularly in large centers, ignorant of the terrible risks the children run when playing in the streets or as the result of careless crossing of thoroughfares?

"Or shall we have to erect in every city, at every busy corner or congested neighborhood, a monument 'In memory of child life sacrificed on the altar of haste and recklessness.' Such as that recently dedicated in St. Louis.

"The situation is such that the widest publication of the figures cited is justified and an immediate and general checking up of the ways and means for improving conditions is urgently demanded.

"It is distinctly encouraging to find a lower rate in the cancer, child-bearing, diphtheria and scarlet fever groups. There have been too, actually fewer suicides reported in 1923, reflecting in all probability a healthier tone in domestic and business life."

In taking issue with opinions expressed before the British medical association regarding the proper index of health, Dr. Toulmin said: "That an improvement in mortality of recent years is due in part at least to health conservation work I have no doubt. I am whole-heartedly a believer in routine physical examination. It is my belief that the only proper gauge of physical codition is such an examination.

CHRISTMAS CHEER COSTLY IN GERMANY

FOOD PRICES OUT OF SIGHT AND WORKING CLASS BADLY IN NEED

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—Christmastide cheer on the Rhine this year is a much more costly item than it was for the American doughboys last year.

The American Army of Occupation at Coblenz last year traded dollars for marks and bought turkey and goose at from 15 to 25 cents a pound; Rhine or Moselle wine at about same price a bottle, and everything else proportionately. This season fowl costs about $1 a pound and wine about $1.25 a bottle. Other foods generally are proportionately high. Christmas trees are retailing at from $2 to $3 each and are about the size of a gooseberry bush.

Notwithstanding that money is spent freely by certain classes of the people in the cities, the heads of charitable organizations declare the situation brought about by unemployment among millions of the populace is greater than they can cope with in the way of furnishing Christmas cheer. It is asserted in these circles that it will be impossible to provide even a suggestion of Christmas to hundreds of thousands of needy in industrial centers.

Principal oriental countries that are producing rugs are China, India, Afghanistan, Beluchistan, Persia, Turkestan, Caucasia and Asia Minor.

RUM CUSTOMER LIST VANISHES

(Continued from First Page)

the prisoners were loaded into cars and taken to Benton, where they were taken before Commissioner William Hart. The Benton jail is said to have been so crowded that no more could be squeezed in.

FINES ON RAIDERS

Among those arrested for alleged bootlegging activities is Ola Clark, who was the first man indicted in the Hearst case and who was alleged to have been the leader of the forces that killed the prohibition men.

Clark is alleged to have been upon the prohibition agents. The men making the raids were well armed and in each case made their raids with drawn revolvers. They confiscated large quantities of whisky, "white mule," beer and gambling devices. Money found upon the gambling tables was held as evidence. The raids were made without the knowledge or cooperation of Williamson county officials.

WRITER WELCOMES NEW DIRECTOR

Noted European Is Well Received

Sada Cowan and Dimitri Buchowetski

DIMITRI BUCHOWETSKI, who has just come over from Europe to direct Pola Negri in her next picture, knows just one person in Hollywood—Sada Cowan, the eminent screen author. A couple of years ago, while she was in Berlin, she wrote the original story and screen adaptation for "Peter the Great," which Buchowetski directed there and which is scheduled for showing in Los Angeles in the near future. Incidentally, reports from other cities where "Peter the Great" has already been exhibited, proclaim it a success.

As a matter of fact, this is not Buchowetski's only picture to come to the United States. "Danton," a French Revolution story, which has been shown in the East, was made by him, and also "Mad Love," starring Pola Negri, which has been seen throughout the country.

GERMANS SPLIT ON BANK CHIEF

Appointment of Dr. Schacht Meets Opposition

Nationalist Press Wanted Karl Helfferich

Nominee Avowed Champion of Gold Standard

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—President Ebert's confirmation of Dr. Hjalmar Schacht as president of the Reichsbank to succeed the late Rudolph Havenstein, is being violently opposed by the Nationalistic newspapers, which are chagrined over the failure of Dr. Karl Helfferich, former Secretary of the Imperial Treasury, to obtain the coveted position.

The newspapers now charge that Dr. Schacht's selection constitutes an outspoken political appointment, which is in contravention of the Reichsbank's autonomous character.

MANY APPROVE

The new incumbent, however, meets with a friendly reception by the financial writers, who point out that his advent at the end of the semiofficial institution indicates a break with the traditional procedure by which presidents of the Reichsbank formerly invariably were sought among the bureaucracy.

Dr. Schacht was graduated from journalism into the banking business. He is an avowed champion of a gold-supported national currency.

RETAINS HIS POST

Dr. Schacht will retain his former position of Federal currency commissioner as he believes the duties of that post are closely interlocked with the functions awaiting him as the new head of the Reichsbank. He is said to be an optimist with respect to the outlook for the early organization of an official gold currency bank, which will enable Germany to extricate herself from the swollen flood of paper marks. Pending its establishment, he proposes to safeguard the present rentenmark as stable transitional currency.

Belated returns by the Reichsbank covering the latter half of November reveal an addition of three hundred and seven septillion marks in new currency. The continued inflation is explained on the ground that the Reichsbank was called on to absorb unlimited issues of diverse emergency currency of local origin.

DEFIANT RED GOES UNDER GUILLOTINE

Toulon Police Officers' Killer Cries 'Vive Russia' as Ax Falls

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TOULON, Dec. 23.—Shouting, "Vive Russia, vive Germaine Berton, vive anarchy," Marcelin Delval paid the death penalty under the guillotine at dawn this morning for murdering two policemen and the Chief of Police of Toulon.

Before he died M. Delval tried to hit the judge in the jaw for unjustly insulting the professional standing of a first-class murderer.

"Judge, you treated me with the greatest injustice, accusing me of theft, when I am not a burglar, but a slayer of policemen," declared M. Delval.

M. Delval refused the customary shot of rum and cigarette before being executed, declaring he feared he might be doped and it thus would be bad for his health. He embraced a priest, saying:

"Religion is a big joke, but you are a good scout personally."

TROTZKY TO RESIGN AS EXECUTIVE

Report From Russia Says Soviet Leader Intends to Quit Politics

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 23.—The correspondent of the Svenska Dagbladet Form-reval says that Leon Trotzky, because of the opposition of the commissaries to his getting Nikolai Lenine's post, has decided to resign his post as central executive of the political bureau of the Communist Party and altogether abstain from political life for the present. Power, it is said, will be taken over by the triumvirate, M. Salin, M. Kamenoff and M. Zinovieff.

The telegram needs confirmation, though harmonizing with late reports that Trotzky opposed Zinovieff and M. Bucharin on the military question, demanding concentration on economic questions leaving out armaments and war adventures, while M. Bucharin the cigarette smokng napoleon wished for more money for the army.

MEMORY OF MAN IN BAY CITY BLANK

Inquiry is Made Here to Fix Identity; Slender Clew Furnished

The name of Ethel Allen of 1321 Sunset Boulevard, found yesterday written in a notebook in the possession of a young man who was wandering about the streets of San Francisco, his memory a blank, is the slender clew by which Bay City police hope to solve a puzzling question of identity.

A description of the man, which was wired to Los Angeles yesterday, evoked the reply from Miss Allen that he might be True Farmer, son of Mrs. A. J. Farmer of Portland, Or. This name, however, failed to stir the memory of the victim, police believe, of either amnesia or of a bludgeon attack. The latter theory is strengthened by the fact that a contusion has been discovered on the back of the man's head.

Well dressed, with entries in his notebook indicating that he is a prosperous business man, the stranger mumbles in his few lucid moments about Hollywood, the beaches around Los Angeles and of driving a drunken man to San Francisco in an expensive automobile.

Miss Allen, who is a friend of Farmer's family, says that she last saw the young man on the Sunday before Thanksgiving. At that time, at the instance of his mother, she tried to persuade him not to make a proposed trip to Mexico, she says. Farmer is described by her as having an adventurous disposition, which has made him a great wanderer.

The man in the hospital in the north, to whose description Miss Allen says Farmer tallies, is about 30 years of age and has blue eyes and hazel-brown hair. He is five feet nine inches tall and weighs 170 pounds.

Brother's Body Found in Ocean in Long Search

A ceaseless hunt by a fisherman for the body of his brother who was drowned in the northwest gale of the 15th inst., off San Clemente Island was rewarded yesterday when the body was found where it has been washed ashore.

Anton Hansen, 42 years of age, who resided with his brother, Adolf, at 351 West Fourth street, Los Angeles Harbor, was the drowned man. He was in a small boat fishing when the storm came up. Trying to reach a haven on the small island his craft was swamped. The brother took the remains to Goodrich's undertaking establishment at the harbor.

PASSENGERS UNINJURED AS TRAIN IS DERAILED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

BLUE EARTH (Minn.) Dec. 23. The lives of 150 passengers were endangered when Chicago and Northwestern passenger train No. 25, westbound, between Sanborn and Chicago was derailed at the brink of the Blue Earth River here yesterday. None was injured, however.

A broken rail caused the baggage car trucks to jump the tracks, which were torn up for more than 700 yards before the train could be stopped. The baggage car, directly behind the engine, hung over a twenty-five-foot embankment when the train stopped.

URGES UPHOLDING OF SCRIP TICKET LAW

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The Supreme Court in a brief filed by the Department of Justice is urged to uphold the interchangeable railroad scrip-ticket law. The case is to be argued soon and the brief seeks dismissal of an injunction obtained in the Massachusetts Federal court by the New York Central and other lines against its observance. Joined with the government is the National Council of Traveling Salesmen and other travelers' organizations.

Church Presents Pastor With Real Christmas Gift

Here's a real Christmas bonus.

A check for $3025 was presented to Rev. C. Leitzell, associate pastor of the First Methodist Church, last night by John A. Van Pelt, choir director, on behalf of the congregation.

In presenting the check, Mr. Van Pelt said it was in recognition of the faithful service of the associate pastor during the past year, especially in his conduct of the campaign to raise money to build the new $1,500,000 church.

Mr. Leitzell has been associated with the church for three years. The gift was made possible by the efforts of the choir in soliciting money from the congregation, it was said.

AUTO THIEVES ACTIVE

Thirty-Eight Cars Reported Stolen in Los Angeles Yesterday

Thirty-eight automobiles, some of them expensive makes, were reported by the theft bureau of the Automobile Club to have been stolen from Los Angeles yesterday. This is the largest list reported in some time. The list, with makes and license numbers, follows:

Studebaker, 1922 roadster, 889197; Franklin, 1921 coupe, 673951; Cadillac, 1921 phaeton, 3028565; Chevrolet, 1923 touring, 560016; Buick, 1924 touring, 92*202; Chevrolet, 1923 touring, 42*727; Chevrolet, 1923 touring, 37*224; Marmon, Washington limousine 53254; Buick, 1925 touring, 14*680; Studebaker, 1923 touring, P.S. 11167; Ford, 1923 coupe, 689748; Ford, 1923 coupe, 4340421; Ford, 1923 touring, 6139652; Ford, 1923 coupe, 897023; Ford, 1921 touring, 4329866; Ford, 1915 touring, 469863; Ford, 1923 roadster, 198*239; Ford, 1923 touring, 6600954; Ford, 1916 roadster, 12*328; Ford, 1923 coupe, 369161; Ford, 1923 coupe, 909016; Buick, 1923 touring, 436951; Hupmobile, 1923 coupe, 5005535; Dodge, 1923 coupe, 88673; Buick, 1924 sport touring, 32*692; Ford, 1923 touring, 8566396; Ford, 1923 coupe, 81449; Ford, 1923 coupe, 68*837; Ford, 1922 touring, 6415951; Ford, 1923 touring, 497837; Buick, 1919 roadster, 6747172; Packard, 1922 touring, 387649; Buick, 1923 sedan, 356186; Buick, 1923 roadster, 569702; Hudson, 1924 touring, 54*216; Velie, 1919 touring, 644351; Ren, 1923 phaeton, 5641183; Chandler, 1917 touring, 992905.

MANY ATTEND BANQUET

Four hundred persons attended the banquet and dance of the La Salle Extension University Salesmanship students Saturday night at the Elite. Acting Mayor Workman and Mrs. Workman were among the guests of honor.

SCORE MORE OF TREMORS IN COLOMBIA

Some Loss of Life and Property Damage Told in Merger Reports

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BOGOTA (Colombia) Dec. 23.—Reports from the earthquake zone today tell of scores of additional earthquakes which seem to be spreading northward into the State of Colombia.

Dozens of towns report temblors. From the city of Gachala, west of Bogota and near the ocean, dispatches say violent shocks not more than a minute apart continued for more than an hour today.

A slight shock was felt at Bogota, but no damage was done.

All the dispatches tell of some loss of life or damage, but for the most part the communications are fragmentary, so that no definite idea of the catastrophe can be gleaned from them. Today's reports would indicate that not more than a dozen persons were killed.

The Colombia government is sending investigators and relief parties.

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WHEAT FARMING COST REVEALED

Government Report on Situation Complete

Education Campaign is Washington Plan

Little Hope Held Out to Growers by Experts

BY CHARLES D. MICHAELS
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Why President Coolidge failed to advocate any set plan for farm relief in his message to Congress has never been satisfactorily explained. But after an analysis is made of the "wheat situation," a report made by the United States Department of Agriculture to the President following an exhaustive investigation, it is not at all surprising that he did not.

It is seldom that a report made by a government body gives such frank statements as are embodied in the wheat summary. It should not be regarded in the light of what effect it might have on market values, but rather as a real effort to throw light on a situation that has been extremely puzzling to the producer as well as to the grain trade.

COST TO PRODUCE

It cost an average of $1.21 per bushel to produce wheat in the Dakotas and Minnesota this year, without allowance for the rent of the land, while in Kansas, Nebraska and Missouri the cost was $1.20 per bushel. The price obtained for the wheat in the Northwest when the report was compiled was 91 cents and in the Southwest 94 cents per bushel, according to the department. If land is included, the cost in the Northwest is around $1.61, and in the Southwest $1.64 per bushel.

This high cost is due to several factors. One of these is the big expansion of acreage in the semi-arid territory, where yields are uncertain owing to lack of sufficient rainfall, the average being ten to twenty inches per year. In Ford county, Kansas, which is in the semiarid area, the average yield for the last twelve years has been seven and two-tenths bushels per acre, while in McPherson county, Kansas, in the semihumid belt, it has been thirteen and one-tenth bushels. Ford county has had an average abandonment of acreage during that period of 37.1 per cent and McPherson county 9.4 per cent. As both counties have a big acreage the losses are important factors.

BIG TASK AHEAD

How to overcome this is the big task ahead of the farmer, as well as the Department of Agriculture, which must undertake a campaign of education on diversification.

There is a strong probability that farmers will not obtain more than production cost for wheat for some years to come, in view of the rapid expansion in acreage in Canada, and the big increase in agricultural activity in Europe and in Argentina. It is pointed out that the world's production of 3,461,000,000 bushels this year is 500,000,000 bushels in excess of the prewar average exclusive of Russia, and the latter furnished only 164,000,000 bushels yearly to importing countries before the war.

Numerous problems must be solved before diversification can be said to have been completed and the crop cut down to about actual domestic requirements. In some sections the land may be profitably employed in raising flax seed, which crop is only about 50 per cent of the annual requirements in this country. A summary of the present wheat situation based on the facts presented would indicate that there is little or no hope of high prices for some years to come.

Golden Canopy of King Tut's Tomb Removed

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

LUXOR, Dec. 23.—The difficult task of removing the first of the three sections forming the roof of the immense golden canopy over King Tut-Ankh-Amen's resting place was successfully carried out this morning without damage. The lid proved to be far heavier than had been imagined. In fact, the big front section of it removed today is said to weigh as much as one of the ponderous doors of the outer shrine.

The inside roof of the canopy was found to be beautifully decorated with five brilliantly painted hawks, with their wings fully outspread, as if to protect the monarch sleeping below.

Howard Carter said today that the work of removing the other two sections of the canopy would be much delayed by the necessity of avoiding damage to the linen pall covering the second shrine.

Given Fortune, Sticks to His Charity Home

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Henri De La Motte, 74 years of age, resident of the Cathedral Shelter Home and new-found heir to part of a large French estate, tonight declined the offers of relatives to take him to a hotel and expressed the intention of remaining with his cronies at the home and going out tomorrow to do a rushing business in Christmas trinkets from a curb stand.

De La Motte, who after a quarrel with an uncle left his wife and four daughters in Milwaukee, was found through his annual pilgrimage to the city license bureau to obtain a license to sell Christmas trinkets.

WORKERS GET GIFTS
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

DETROIT, Dec. 23.—The Benton Harbor Malleable Foundry and two allied industries, the Auto Machine Company and the Foreman Company, at quitting time yesterday dropped $41,000 into the stockings of its employees as a Christmas present. It was the biggest distribution of cash ever made in Benton Harbor industrial circles.

PAIR HOPE TO RULE RUMANIA

Royal Couple Snapped at Chateau

[P. & A. Photo]
Crown Prince and Princess of Rumania

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BUCHAREST, Dec. 23.—In these days of European turmoil, when kings and dynasties are vanishing like snow in the sun, the future of the Crown Prince and Princess of Rumania, shown here in their country chateau, is not one upon which Lloyds's would accept any considerable amount of insurance.

Nevertheless, the royal couple, being young and optimistic, count on some day ruling their kingdom. So far, Rumania has been more or less free of revolutionary discontent because of the agrarian nature of the population, but what the coming period of unrest may bring is problematical.

The accompanying picture is one that has never before been published.

FRANCE TO PAVE WAY TO TREATY

Poincare Says Germans Must Pay, but Declares Pact is Agreeable

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PARIS, Dec. 23.—On the eve of tomorrow's important conference between Premier Poincare and the German charge d'affaires Von Hoesch, the French Premier today made an eloquent speech in defense of the French policy in the Ruhr. He clearly indicated France's willingness to open the door for new reparations negotiations.

Poincare spoke in the war torn town of Courteve, which he decorated with the Croix De Guerre.

"We are in the Ruhr," the Premier said, "and we won't leave it until we are paid. We are ready, however, to examine any methods of regulation which will bring about this payment as soon as is possible."

The Premier's statements are considered most significant in view of the fact that he receives Von Hoesch at the Quai d'Orsay tomorrow afternoon for a conference wherein the German envoy will submit new instructions from Berlin and also submit the Reich's detailed propositions regarding the Rhineland.

The Premier's speech reviewed the Ruhr occupation and the reasons for this action, reaffirming France's insistence to stand upon the Versailles Treaty and insure French security.

PRAIRIE FIRE DANGER
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

OMAHA, Dec. 23.—Word from Pierre, S. D., says that while the lack of snow and warm weather allows stock to graze on the prairies and saves feeding, and helps out the town residents by saving on fuel bills, it leaves another danger which would not have to be met with a little snow on the ground, that of winter prairie fires. Several have been reported from various sections of the State but none have covered any great territory.

PARENT GETS ESTATE
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

DETROIT, Dec. 23.—Showing that the estate has a value of $91,000 Philo C. Fuller, a former mayor of Grand Rapids, has petitioned for the admission of the will of his son, Edward P. Fuller, who died a fortnight ago at Santa Fe, N. M., where he conducted a private school. The bulk of the estate is placed in trust for the benefit of the father, at whose death the principal is to be divided equally between the son's two sisters, Mrs. Laura S. Johnston and Mrs. Kate F. Johnson.

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GARRETT, Reliable Points

Poor of Madrid Gain Wealth in Lottery Prizes

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MADRID, Dec. 23.—Dreams came true in Madrid this afternoon when a drawing at a Christmas lottery brought sudden riches to many humble and poverty-stricken citizens in the city's slums. The total prizes amounted to 35,000,000 pesetas, of which 15,000,000 pesetas were distributed among a few of the poorest families.

Among the winners was a rag picker who received 20,000 pesetas. An errand boy in a grocery fainted and was carried to a hospital sick when he learned he had won a big prize.

There were scenes of wild joy throughout the city when the results of the lottery were announced.

BANKS ASKED TO AID FIGHT ON WAGE RISE

ST. LOUIS MASTER BUILDERS SEEK WITHHOLDING OF STRUCTURE LOANS

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—To oppose the plans of labor unions in the building trades in St. Louis to increase the minimum wage from $1.25, which now prevails, to $1.50 an hour, the Master Builders' Association has asked the assistance of the banks and trust companies which make loans for the erection of buildings, and have discussed the formation of an organization which, besides including general contractors belonging to the Master Builders' Association, would also take in the representatives of the organization of subcontractors, according to W. C. Mieher, president of the Master Builders' and also head of the Globe Construction Company.

Mieher said today that the trust companies and banks had quietly been asked to help in opposing the wage increases and he made it clear that the help desired is the withholding of loans on new structures to keep these projected buildings out of the market. The difficulty encountered, he said, is the amount of building which is financed in Chicago and in Eastern cities.

FRYERS FOR GOVERNOR
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 23. — The largest family ever to grace the executive mansion at Frankfort will have fresh eggs and an occasional "fryer" on the table. One hundred and fifty chickens arrived today from Olive Hill, home of Gov. Fields and Mrs. Fields and their family of one girl and five grown sons. Tonight the chickens were in their boxes ready for their inaugural reception in the coop being constructed near the mansion. Mrs. Fields had 300 chickens at Olive Hill.

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BOY SETS SCHOOL FIRE

Chicago Police May be Stationed at Each Building to Halt Work of Pyromaniac

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—A boy pyromaniac, whose twisted mind has led him to select school buildings as the objects of his incendiary phobia and who has fired more than a dozen in the last seven months, set another school in flames early today.

Police, fire department and Board of Education officials who hurried to the scene will confer today on protective measures such as were taken during the last epidemic of torch madness, when police were stationed at each school.

The Douglas school on Thirty-second street shot into flames about 7 o'clock. It was the second school fire of incendiary origin within a week. Batallion Chief David J. Mahoney detected the handiwork of the firebug.

Firemen fought for two hours to subdue the blaze, which had started in the basement.

The kindergarten, first, second and third grade classrooms were practically destroyed, at an estimated loss of between $35,000 and $40,000.

Batallion Chief Mahoney, who was called to the Forestville school, Forty-fifth street and Lawrence avenue, last Monday, where the fire loss was $15,000, said the origin and progress of the blazes were similar and branded the fire as the work of the torch maniac.

Chicago Is Given First Snow for White Christmas

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 23. — The first promise of a "white Christmas" which has been but a forlorn hope thus far came today when Chicago was lightly pelted with snowflakes mixed with rain. They were few and somewhat far between but they were sure enough snowflakes, and the weather man says there are more where these came from.

He would not promise, though, that they'd come in numbers by Tuesday.

New Standards

Ad in exchange: For rent, six-room modern cottage. No pets, piano or children. Only respectable people wanted."—[Boston Transcript.

WHO'S WHO AT OPERA

Society Reporter Only Busy "Critic" at Metropolitan Opening

A young man sat with knitted brows at a table in the press room of the Metropolitan Operahouse. He was not alone, for was it not the opening night of the season, and was not the house full to the last inch of standing room, and was not a performance of Massenet's "Thais," with Maria Jeritza in the title role, well under way? It was, or rather, they were.

As we remarked, the young man was not alone. The first act intermission was on, and the room was full of music critics. One could have told that, not only by the expression of rapt concentration and keen analysis that covered every distinguished face, but by the stray phrases and scraps of conversation that swam disconnectedly through the smoky air—"Did you hear the one about the man who liked Shakespeare"—"I read a peach in some French comic weekly the other day"—"No, they had a terrible time; everybody had bet on 'My Own' "—"I didn't get over this year"—"Why weren't you at Gallo's party——?"

A few were sitting at tables morosely drawing circles and imperfectly designed cottages all over the nice, new yellow pads of copy paper that a thoughtful management had placed there for the purpose; one with the air of a man who had at last made up his mind strode fiercely over to the water cooler and took a drink; another, with an expression of serene self-satisfaction, made pencil corrections on several suspiciously creased looking pages of typewritten manuscript.

Of all that gay throng, only one young man seemed imbued with the spirit of hard work. He wrote furiously, covering page after page, stopping only to glance at some scrawled notes on his program, to scowl malevolently at his noisy companions, or to gnaw on his pencil in frantic search for some word that would not come. Who was this unknown who toiled thus early in the evening? What balanced periods and sonorous measures were forming beneath that fluent pencil? In short, what on earth was he writing about?

One stole a glance at the first page of his copy, lying where he had flung it, half across the table. And one read the title line: "What society were the opening night of the opera." And as the whispered news spread, the room grew strangely silent as, one by one, the music critics crept away on tiptoe. Here was a man who had real work to do.

For, after all, it is the society reporter whose task is heaviest at Metropolitan openings. There is excitement and suspense aplenty for them. One never knows what parterre box may be empty or filled with upstarts, or what famous necklace may have changed—does one say necks?

The critics virtually take a holiday; for the Metropolitan Opera House opens in much the same manner every season.

The opera may vary from year to year, but it is almost never a new one. The opening performance is no time to disturb an audience with new musical sensations. The one is another, militar, for there are more tantes in the house than pleasing masters by now on the stage. Everybody is that care and fussing is done to give a new star a pleasant, restful environment that is conducive to good singing, and everybody is treated on the assumption of a sorely jaded nervous system and being recuperated.

There is no one to be nervous and excitement tends the least bit to ing. For years we have been ing about the fine opening ing room of the Metropolitan outside of the opening day of the season, and that we have never been in our own writing. But afternoon we went to see those rooms for ourselves and—but we'll gather material for a story.

We found a large room around one side of which ranged cubicles, and, standing in front of two gentlemen of the press, one of whom was in charge of immense numbers of tonight, and the other of eight pencils were sharpened window mended. Otherwise the room was very much as it is now.

This was not to be interested in the opening. On the other hand, so very much anxious to be boys hit for the weeks ahead, opera, and to be opera singers in New York.

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CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR RADIO WNP

Arctic Explorers to Have Special Music

Omaha Paper to Broadcast Their Favorites

Midnight Program Arranged for North Pole

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]
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OMAHA (Neb.) Dec. 23.—On Tuesday at 12 o'clock, midnight, a special radio program of Christmas music will be flashed from the Omaha World-Herald station WOAW to Capt. Donald M. MacMillan and his crew of six men huddled in the cabin of their little schooner Bowdoin, a few hundred miles from the North Pole.

Arrangements for this unique concert, unprecedented in the history of Arctic exploration, were completed recently by the World-Herald, one of the members of the North American Newspaper Alliance who sent the following message to Capt. MacMillan:

SPECIAL PROGRAM

"The World-Herald is desirous of providing radio entertainment for you and your men on Christmas night and we will broadcast only numbers which are your favorites. Will you please wire us via the American Radio Relay League, instructing just what you will want in the way of Christmas entertainment - and the best time to broadcast. We want this to be a program your and your men will always remember. Best greetings and success."

A week later the following answer was received, "Deeply appreciate your very kind proposal to broadcast Christmas program. WOAW is one of our best stations and heard most consistently. Midnight central time convenient. Men have expressed desire for the following: Tom McCue, Auld Lang Syne; Ralph Robinson, Wedding of the Winds; John Jaynes, chief engineer, Blue Danube; Richard Goddard, expert on terrestrial magnetism, medley of Christmas carols; Bromfield, King Cotton March; Donald Mix, Swinging Down the Lane; MacMillan, Whispering Hope. Merry Christmas and happy New Year to all our friends.

MacMILLAN."

Accordingly, at the stroke of midnight Christmas WOAW will "take the air" with probably thousands listening in all parts of the country and send into the frozen wastes of the far north its message of cheer—the songs and music dearest to the hearts of the little band of explorers.

A large share of credit for the arrangement of this "favorite" program for MacMillan and his men goes to the amateur operators of the American Radio Relay League, whose services in relaying messages between Capt. MacMillan and the World-Herald have been invaluable.

DOCTORS TO GET REMEDY FOR PARESIS

New Specific Said to be 50 Per Cent Effective in Curing Disease

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

COLUMBUS (O.) Dec. 23.—The Rockefeller Institute soon is to release to physicians a new specific called triparsamid, or A-63, which is asserted to show a 60 per cent result in the treatment of paresis and locomotor ataxia, according to a story in today's Ohio State Journal, which gives Dr. H. M. Brundage of Columbia as its authority. Fifty per cent cures were declared by Dr. Brundage to be far in excess of results obtained by any previously known specific for these two diseases.

Dr. Brundage's announcement was made in an address before the managing officers of Ohio institutions for the insane and was hailed by him as a remedy that would restore many insane persons to normal social activity.

The specific was said to have been developed by Drs. Louis Pearce, and Wade Brown, biological chemists at the Rockefeller Institute, and Dr. W. F. Lorenz and A. S. Loevenhart of Madison, Wis.

The specific's greatest virtue was declared to lie in the fact that the drug possesses an affinity for tissues of the central nervous system and can be injected into the veins.

Bandits Raid Famed District of Gem Fortune

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Watches and jewelry valued at $25,000 were stolen last night from the Consolidated Watch Company in Nassau street, in the heart of the wholesale jewelry district and below the "dead line" for crooks.

Two men and a woman perpetrated the robbery in one of the cleverest schemes that has come to police notice in many months.

Upon entering, the woman asked to be fitted with a platinum wrist watch. While she was examining it the door opened and a breeze wafted in a quantity of sneezing powder. Maurice Woolin, proprietor, drew his handkerchief to sneeze and one of the two men who had entered the store reached across the counter and shoved the handkerchief into his mouth, choking him so that he could make no outcry.

After binding Woolin, the robbers took their pick of gems and precious metal in a show case and departed.

NOTED DIPLOMAT DIES

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

PORT AU PRINCE (Haiti) Dec. 23.—Clarence C. Woolard, American Vice-Consul at Cape Haitien for the last eight years, died yesterday from malignant malaria. He was a native of Grafton, W. Va.

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Plea for Slash in Hay Freight Is Withdrawn

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 23.—Motion to dismiss the complaint filed by the Arizona Corporation Commission with the Interstate Commerce Commission asking for reductions in freight rates on hay from Arizona points to California, New Mexico and Western Texas points was filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission yesterday by the Corporation Commission.

The petition asks that the complaint be dismissed without prejudice "because certain conditions have developed within the last week that make it essential that the complaint should be materially amended or withdrawn."

The Arizona commission states that the latter course is preferable. It is understood a new complaint is to be filed in the case.

COUNTY TREASURER CONVICTED OF ARSON

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NORTH PLATTE (Neb.) Dec. 23.—Samuel M. Souder, former County Treasurer of Lincoln county, was found guilty of arson in connection with the burning of the old Lincoln county courthouse last April 29 and 30. The State introduced evidence intended to show that Souder was short between $40,000 and $50,000 in his accounts as treasurer, and accused him of firing the courthouse to hide the alleged shortages. County records were consumed in the blaze. Sentence is to be passed January 1.

AMERICANS ARE NOT MOLESTED IN MEXICO

ALL POSSIBLE AID IS GIVEN THOSE DESIRING TO QUIT COUNTRY

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

BROWNSVILLE (Tex.) Dec. 23. Reports that Americans are being detained in Mexico City are denied by passengers arriving here today from the Mexican capital. They stated that every possible facility was placed at their disposal by the government and that they were urged unofficially to leave the city. Train schedules have been badly disrupted, they stated, owing to the steady movement of troop trains, but this was the only inconvenience experienced.

El Democrata, published at Mexico City, yesterday said a number of Americans were at Vera Cruz awaiting an opportunity to board an American ship which is expected to arrive there soon.

Mexican consuls in Brownsville, Laredo and San Antonio tonight declared there was no truth in the statement issued by the Vera Cruz revolutionary headquarters that Gen. Cavezos had revolted with 2000 troops. They asserted that private dispatches received from Mexico stated that Gen. Cavezos was loyal to the government and that his troops today were engaged with the rebel forces southeast of Apizaco.

PRISON DIRECTORS FAIL TO DISCUSS KELS CASE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN QUENTIN, Dec. 23.—Only routine matters were discussed at the regular meeting of the State Board of Prison Directors yesterday afternoon. It is understood no reference was made to the Kels sanity test controversy.

OVERDUE COMET IS FOUND BY OBSERVER

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN JOSE, Dec. 23. — The D'Arrest comet, reported by astronomers at Leipsic University as much overdue, has been located far in the south by Dr. Max Wolf, astronomer of Heidelburg, Germany, according to a telegram received by Dr. Robert G. Aitken, associate director of Lick Observatory. In his wire Dr. Wolf reported the celestial visitor appeared so faintly that it was visible only through a microscope. In this vicinity clouds have prevented any observation of the comet, Dr. Aitken reported.

FLOOD DAMAGE HEAVY

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 23.—At Evansville yesterday the White River reached a twenty-foot stage, as recorded by the government gauge at Decker. River bottoms at Decker and Hazleton are flooded and all crops still in the fields are lost. The amount of damage is not known. Approaches on the north side of the Hazleton bridge appear to be in good condition with the gauge at eighteen feet. The mark reached by the 1913 flood was thirty-one feet. No estimate has been made as to the point that may be reached this year.

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PLAN EXTENSIVE TEST OF NEW OIL DISTRICT

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

DENVER, Dec. 23.—With growing conviction that its gasser north of Fort Collins indicates a new Colorado oil field of richness and extent heretofore undreamed of, the Union Oil Company of California is laying plans to expend $10,000,000 in developing the region in the next year or two and starting drilling of two additional wells at once. News of this remarkable expansion program came last night from Casper, Wyo., where James M. Douglas, geologist for the Union company, spoke at a luncheon of the Wyoming Petroleum Club.

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IRWIN J. MUMA, manager, AETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, fourth floor, Merchants National Bank Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

ROME TO CONSTRUCT SYSTEM OF SUBWAYS

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

ROME, Dec. 23.—Rome is to have a subway to relieve the present congested condition of the street-car systems. The subway will radiate from the tourist center in the Piazzi di Spagna. The first line will run to Porta Appia at the eastern limits of the city.

DIVIDEND PAID

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 23.—A first payment of $5000 on the $90,000 of State money which was in the Discount and Deposit State Bank of Kentland when that institution was closed was received by the State Treasurer's office yesterday. The bank had declared a 10 per cent dividend to depositors, it was said. Gov. McCray formerly was president of the Kentland bank. He was not, however, head of the institution when it was closed.

TWO KILLED IN AUTO

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CASPER (Wyo.) Dec. 23.—Floyd Bevans of Shreveport, La., and H. C. Briggs of Parkerton, Wyo., were killed and J. J. Speck of Casper was seriously injured when an automobile Speck was driving plunged through a bridge eight miles east of here tonight.

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WARDEN DENIES WASTE CHARGE

Accusation is Called Dirty Political Move

Inquiry Report Made to the Board of Control

Reply by Director Meek Flays Governor

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—Denial of accusations of inefficiency and mismanagement of the affairs of San Quentin penitentiary, as contained in the report of William Schleip, Superintendent of Accounts, to the Board of Control yesterday, were made today by Warden Johnston and Prison Director Meek of Oroville.

The report of Superintendent Schleip followed an investigation by a corps of accountants into prison conditions extending over a period of three months. The charges were grave in nature and included assertions of waste, disorganization and lack of proper discipline and control.

Warden Johnston's reply follows:

"I most emphatically deny that deficiency or mismanagement is to be found here. I have given loyal service to the State and have put my heart and soul in it.

"But if the Governor and his Board of Control and his accountants want, I will answer every charge.

"That the Governor should give out this report without anyone talking to me or asking me one thing about prison conditions, indicates that the action is founded on bias and malice and is a very dirty kind of politics.

"I am willing to work with the Governor of California, but I will not crawl."

Director Meek's statement follows: "This is the second move on the part of Gov. Richardson to get control of the prison. This was originally supposed to be the first attack, but when the Kels case came along Gov. Richardson seized that, believing it would be a popular one. But as that apparently fell flat, he has gone back to the first plan.

"We have known for months he has had a detective in the guise of an accountant working for the State Board of Control at San Quentin. When he says losses may have occurred, well, I have had them in my own private business. There is no point to that. But when he says there is mismanagement, that is not true. His motive is so apparent that the charge does not amount to much."

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HEAR RADIO WORD FROM FAR CORNER

Ship Messages in Dutch East Indies Picked Up in Halifax Harbor

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Radio messages from Bandoeng, a city in the Dutch East Indies, were picked up by the Holland-American Line steamship Nieu Amsterdam in Halifax harbor, 12,000 miles distant, on Friday afternoon.

The announcement was made today when the Nieu Amsterdam steamed into port from Rotterdam, Boulogne and Southampton after what Skipper Krol described as one of the most remarkable trips he had ever made across the Atlantic at this time of the year. Warm, pleasant weather, with smooth seas, were encountered for the ten days she was making the crossing.

The 12,000-mile radio messages were picked up by Gerril Schotel, engineer of the Colonial Department of the Dutch government at the Hague. Dutch battleships and merchant vessels have been making reports to the government on aerial conditions. It was discovered that Dutch ships kept in close contact with the government's colonies in the East Indies for many days. It was found, for instance, that when in the vicinity of South American countries where the high mountains are known to contain iron the air seemed no longer to transfer the messages.

The international Morse code was used by the engineer, who said he would make further experiments here, and probably go farther south. He was of the belief that the time is coming when the radio will carry as far as the human mind can measure.

He said amateurs in Holland were having a wonderful time listening in on American concerts. Some of the amateurs, he said, because of their inability to understand English, do not know what it is all about.

Hydroplane on Seine Sets New World's Record

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

PARIS, Dec. 23.—A new world record for hydroplanes was made today over a measured course in the river Seine. The boat, piloted by M. Canivet, averaged 121 kilometers, sixty-nine meters per hour in three trials with and against the wind. The former record was ninety-three kilometers an hour.

LOS ANGELES YACHT PARTY IS RESCUED

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 23.—At the mercy of the wind and waves, due to a broken rudder, the yacht Bertha M. was picked up today off La Jolla by the launch Golden West and towed into the harbor.

The Berta M. left Los Angeles Harbor this morning with her owner, Oliver Mooreshead, and a party of friends on board. Off La Jolla the craft became unmanageable and it was found her rudder was disabled. Distress signals failed to attract any attention and Mooreshead made a hazardous trip to shore in the yacht's small boat. Assistance was summoned by telephone. On a previous trip here last week, the Berta M. experienced considerable trouble, and was laid up for repairs.

YOUTH IS ROBBER

A youthful robber entered a drug store late Saturday night at 3060 Fountain avenue and obtained $150 by holding up the cashier, according to a report yesterday to the police.

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HUGE STORE BOUGHT BY MARSHALL FIELD

ROTHCHILD & CO. INTERESTS ACQUIRED AT COST OF $9,000,000

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Marshall Field & Co. has announced the purchase of the ten-story department store of Rothchild & Co., with its entire stock of merchandise, lease-holds, equipment and good will. The purchase price was approximately $9,000,000, making it one of the largest, if not the largest, deals in the history of State street. It was a cash transaction.

The business will be conducted as a subsidiary corporation of the Field interests under the name of the Davis Dry Goods Company. The store will be operated independently of the Field retail store, known as the largest store of its kind in the world.

POLICE CHIEF GETS LETTERS OF THREAT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

MONTEREY (Cal.) Dec. 23.—Chief of Police F. W. A. Cordage, who recently ordered two Ku Klux Klan organizers out of town after he had arrested them on charges of vagrancy, said today that he had received an anonymous letters from San Francisco and Palo Alton advising him that he was "a marked man."

ALLIS ESTATE HUGE

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 23.—The will of Mrs. Mary S. Allis, widow of William Watson Allis, was filed for probate yesterday. Mrs. Allis died on the 17th inst., after an illness of two years. The will left the bulk of the estate in trust, the income to be given to her daughter, Mrs. Paul Kuder. At the death of the daughter the principal is to be divided equally between Mrs. Kuder's children. The amount of the estate is not estimated in the will, but it is known to be large.

JEWEL BANDIT SHOT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Fleeing through crowds of Christmas shoppers on South State street after scooping jewelry valued at $2000 from a jewelry store window which he had broken with a brick, Gill Hamilton, a negro, was shot and probably fatally wounded by a policeman.

HARBOR FAMILY IN BAD AUTO ACCIDENT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Dec. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Moody and their daughter of Los Angeles Harbor, were found beside their overturned automobile near Los Alamos late yesterday afternoon. All were unable to tell how the accident happened. They were taken to a Santa Maria hospital where physicians said all would recover.

BOY IS ACCIDENTLY KILLED BY SHOTGUN

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

MONTEREY, Dec. 23.—Newton Strickland, 20 years of age, was killed near here today when a hammer of a loaded shotgun he was carrying struck against a motor truck in which he was riding. The gun was discharged and the load entered his body. He stopped the car, then lurched out. When persons near by reached him, he was dead.

CHICKENS TO BE FED WITH WILD HORSES

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

RENO (Nev.) Dec. 23.—Two hundred head of wild horses captured on the hills and desert of Humboldt county, Nev., have been shipped from Winnemucca to Santa Barbara, Cal., by P. E. Gorman, a ranch manager, to be slaughtered for chicken feed. They are at Lovelock, Nev., today on their way.

FOUR DROWN WHEN NAVAL CRANE SINKS

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS]

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 23.—Four men were drowned yesterday when the floating crane "Toba" built in Holland for the Argentine navy, sank off Bahia Blanca. The "Toba" was engaged in her trials before delivery to Argentina. The men were mechanics.

PLAN NEW DENVER HOTEL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

DENVER, Dec. 23.—Denver is to have a magnificent new hotel, one of the finest and biggest and most elaborate between Chicago and Los Angeles. Horace W. Bennett and Charles Boettcher have just returned from New York, where they completed financing the big hostelry, which will be located at Seventeenth avenue and Broadway.

ROSE PAGEANT PLAN GORGEOUS

Pasadena Parade Double Last Year's Quota

Eighty-five Entries Will Participate in Fete

Twenty Thousand Maps to Guide Vast Crowd

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 23.—Preparations for Pasadena's annual New Year's day Tournament of Roses pageant are now nearly complete. The coming parade will be the largest and perhaps more gorgeous than any previous tournament. Society tournament officers declare there are eighty-five entries in the fete which is nearly twice the number of last New Year.

Colonel George S. Parker, grand marshal of the tournament, has appointed his aides and assistant marshals. He will head the first division with Dr. Russell Ball, H. Henry, William H. Archibald and George Wetherby as aides.

AIDES APPOINTED

The second division will be headed by Marshall M. S. Pashigian and aides, G. E. Hill, G. M. Wilson, W. W. Atwood, Dr. Leroy B. Perry. Marshal Dr. J. Tyler Parker and his aides will be C. Elmer Anderson, Laurence M. Jones, C. Retaling, and Ray C. Maple. The fourth division's leaders will be Marshal Fred S. Kenfield and aides, Frank H. Randall, R. M. Smith, E. M. Gossett, and A. W. Spencer. Marshal Dr. Willis Boucher will lead the fifth division. His aides have not been chosen. Marshal T. Fenton Knight and aides, B. P. Lester, S. R. Wilson, Dr. James W. Chapman and Harold D. Martin will lead the sixth division. The seventh will be headed by Marshal Ewart W. Adams and aides, Col. George P. Sanders, M. L. Bishop, R. L. Crane and S. S. Higginbotham.

TO ERECT TENT

For the benefit of the suburban people who will have floats in the parade, Malcolm Fraser, secretary-manager of the Rose Association, will have a mammoth tent erected in the Paddock field in which forty floats may be decorated. Twenty-second maps showing the various routes to the Rose Bowl for the East-West football game will take place have been distributed over Southern California. Manager Fraser declares. The route of the parade will be slightly changed this year, it was announced. The pageant will start as usual on South Orange Grove avenue. It will proceed to Colorado street to Hill street, then up to East Orange Grove avenue and west to Lake avenue. It will disband near Los Robles avenue.

EMBLORS BELIEVED GAS WELL SETTLING

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, Dec. 23.—Whittier has had a number of "earthquakes" lately, not due to battle-ships. Neither do any others report such shocks. It is believed here that these shocks are due to falling of the strata around those wells that were sunk several years a year and a half ago. The Howard No. 1 erupted for carloads of sand before it struck a quantity of materials and leave a huge hole. There were seven gushers. It is believed the fall of the strata above has caused the shocks. Two or three distinct shocks and each as severe as the ones quake. A couple of weeks ago there were rather large ones were

COUNTY FINDS CHURCH DIED ACCIDENTALLY

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 23.—A verdict of accidental death was found by a coroner's jury in the case of Miller F. Church, pioneer Fresno man who slipped from a ladder last fall on the roof of the First Adventist Church while painting. Church, who was a builder of the church, was supervising reconstruction work on the church after a fire that gutted the building several days ago, when he fell to his death. He was 70 years of age and a nephew of Mrs. Church, builder and owner of the church from which he fell. He was also a brother of Mrs. Kate Denver S. Church, wife of City Justice Earle C. Church. Funeral services were held this afternoon from the Adventist Church, with Rev. J. W. Weeks, pastor of the Church, officiating.

SAN DIEGO REV

Neighborhood Parties Park Tree as

By a "Times" Staff

DIEGO, Dec. 23.—The ancient in San Diego and adjacent than ever before. At Santa Claus, will be dropping from the clouds to of officers and enlisted the island will be assembled Officers' Club tomorrow to greet the be-and be-furred gentlemen from his up-to-date festivities around a and the distribution of presents by will follow.

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TO BENEFIT TENT

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FUNDS CHURCH BURNED ACCIDENTALLY

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LEGION POST IN NEW HANDS

Orange Veterans Also Raise Yule Cheer Fund at Annual Meeting for Officer Election

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

ORANGE, Dec. 23.—The Orange Post, American Legion, is functioning under a new set of officers following the annual election, when Claude E. Potter was re-elected commander for the 1924 season.

Excepting Potter and Maj. H. G. Upham, historian, all the officers elected represent changes in the administration of the Legion post, it was declared.

They are, in addition to Commander Potter, Fred Waldo, First Vice-Commander; Jess Leam, Second Vice-Commander; I. D. Fixen, Adjutant; Maj. H. G. Upham, Historian; Romayne Camfield, Chaplain; Thomas Kelly, Sergeant-at-Arms.

The meeting, it was reported, was one of the most enthusiastic of the year and was marked by the raising of the fund with which to supply Christmas cheer to the disabled veterans at Camp Kearney, San Diego.

Two automobiles, loaded with canned fruits, jellies, jams, preserves, clothing, magazines and other gifts, will be dispatched to Camp Kearney either Sunday or Monday morning, carrying the gifts from the local post, it was announced.

FRESNO IN FEAR OVER ZONE RULE

City Afraid Los Angeles Decision May Knock Out Own Ordinance

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 23.—Following the receipt of word here that the Second District Court of appeals has held the Los Angeles Zoning ordinance unconstitutional, Fresno city officials have expressed the belief that the ruling confirms a suspicion generally expressed in the past that many portions and possibly the greater part of the Fresno Zoning law are unconstitutional.

City Attorney Simpson, who some time ago gave an opinion declaring certain sections of the ordinance unconstitutional, said that under the Los Angeles decision many portions of the local measure will not stand up, although it may be found that the entire ordinance will not be knocked out. Members of the City Planning Commission and city officials will investigate the effect of the decision of the Los Angeles law in order to be guided in future city-planning changes.

Entertain at Silver Peak Guest ranch, Walnut, Cal. Pomona Sub. 5.—[Advertisement.

POLICE CAR FOUND, SUSPECT CAPTURED

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Dec. 23.—The mystery of the stolen police automobile was solved this morning, police officers declared, with the arrest of James C. Nixon, 19 years old, who was charged with vagrancy, pending the completion of an investigation into his actions.

The car, driven by Detective George Harris, was left on East Sixth street Thursday night while the officer went into a near-by house. When he came out the car was missing but was located Friday morning several blocks from the scene of the theft. It had been abandoned by the thief after he had discovered it was a police department machine. Nixon, following his arrest by Detective Sergeants Glenn and Hanners, confessed to the theft of the car, police say.

LONG BEACH LEASE INVOLVES $1,500,000

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Dec. 23.—A ninety-nine-year lease has been secured by W. E. Babb, prominent Long Beach property owner and builder, on the property at 126, 128, 130 and 132 Pine avenue, between First street and Broadway, at a monthly rental of $1250, it was announced here today. Plans for the construction of a five-story store and office building on the site will be prepared within a short time, it was said.

The lease is regarded in local realty circles as one of the most interesting in the recent history of the city, not only because it involves the payment of $1,500,000 in rental, but also because of the location of the property, and the lessee's obligation to erect a costly building thereon. Several previous efforts by builders to secure the site failed.

MOTORIST FINED ON HEADLIGHT VIOLATION

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

SOUTH GATE, Dec. 23.—Between thirty-five and forty motorists appeared in Judge Summers's court yesterday, having been given notice a week ago to explain to the judge just why their lights were not in good condition while they were travelling along Long Beach Boulevard. The judge gave out Christmas gifts in the way of fines from $5 to $50 in cases where he found the parties guilty, while others he released after they had shown by their certificates that they were complying with the law. Most of the violators were from either Los Angeles or Long Beach.

SAN DIEGO REVIVES CAROLS

Neighborhood Parties Will Sing; Frolic at Park Tree as Climax

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 23.—The ancient yuletide custom of caroling in San Diego and adjacent communities on a more elaborate scale than ever before. At North Island a Rockwell Field [illegible] Santa Claus, will modernize the Kris Kringle [illegible] from the clouds in a government plane.

[illegible] and enlisted [illegible] will be assem-[illegible] Club tomor-[illegible] at the be-[illegible] from [illegible] his up-to-[illegible] around a [illegible] and the dis-[illegible] and presents by [illegible] follow.

[illegible] singers [illegible] for the street carol-[illegible]. In sixteen [illegible] will wind their [illegible] at all join-[illegible] municipal [illegible] Park for [illegible] for young and old. A magnificent cypress tree at the Laurel-street entrance to the park has been trimmed with hundreds of electric lights, and around this tree, the carolers leading, the expected large gathering of citizens will sing the old favorite songs.

Members of the Carol Club, composed of young women garbed in bright red robes trimmed in white, serenaded the disabled veterans at the Camp Kearny Hospital this afternoon.

At the Loma Portal Naval Training Station a giant tree has been rigged up, which will be the center of the Christmas festivities for the 2000 or more young men in training at this institution.

Release Asked for Man Held in Bunko Case

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 23.—In a telegraphic request to the San Diego authorities, Chief of Police Frank Truax has asked for the release of John Bonetti, who has been held in San Diego as the man suspected of fleecing Clemente Larra of Fresno out of $4000 a year ago in a bunko conspiracy that later resulted in the arrest and conviction of Peter Perrin.

Bonetti's release was requested by Chief Truax when the hoax victim, who was "taken in" on the ancient "tin box game," failed to identify a photograph of the man arrested. Perrin is now serving a term in San Quentin penitentiary.

LONG BEACH YOUNG PEOPLE ORGANIZED

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Dec. 23. — The Young Men's and Women's party, a new political organization sponsored by many of the most prominent Long Beach industrial, business and professional people of this city, came into existence last night and the election of temporary officers placed Roy P. Campbell, a real estate man, at its head. A platform, adopted by the organization, declares the latter to be in favor of a constructive development program for Long Beach, protection of the city's residential area from industrial invasion, construction of necessary school buildings, development of Long Beach Harbor to its fullest, the erection of a municipal auditorium to seat 10,000 people, immediate acquisition of every available foot of beach frontage within the city limits and the maintenance of a police and fire department numerically adequate to the growth of the city.

SCRUGHAM TO SPEAK

Nevada Governor to Address Banquet of Wilsonian Club

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 23. Gov. J. G. Scrugham of Nevada will be the principal speaker at the banquet of the Wilsonian club comprising hundreds of Democrats throughout San Bernardino county at the Harvey House Friday.

Included in the list of speakers for the banquet are: Hon. S. M. Pickett, Democratic National Committeeman of Nevada, who will accompany Gov. Scrugham to the city; Miss Mary E. Foy, Democratic National Committeewoman of California, and Mrs. J. Henry Stewart chairman of the Woman's Democratic League of Los Angeles.

Gov. Scrugham will speak on "Future Democracy." He is one of the prominent Democrats of the West and a national figure in his party.

HUNTINGTON MAY ANNEX

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

HUNTINGTON PARK, Dec. 23. Residents in a section adjoining this city on the southwest have presented a petition for the calling of an election to be held in that territory which, if carried, will annex it to Huntington Park. It is said there is a population in that territory of between 200 and 300 persons. The petition presented to the City Trustee sconstains the signatures of fifty-one voters, and it has been decided that they will be given the protection, as they have signified their intention of coming into the city.

BRINGS HIDE OF HUGE COYOTE

Hunter to Make Rug of Skin; Animal Weighed Sixty-five Pounds

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

HANFORD, Dec. 23.—The hide of one of the largest coyotes ever killed in the San Joaquin Valley has been brought to the County Clerk's office here by D. E. Richardson, hunter, who killed the animal near Tulare Lake. It weighed sixty-five pounds and measured six feet from tip to tip. Its hide, which is heavily haired, will be used as a rug. Richardson will receive $4 bounty on this and one other coyote hide he brought in at the same time.

DUTY PREVENTS VIEW OF FETE

Veteran Pasadena Officer Always Near, Yet So Far From Rose Parade

[By a "Times" Staff Correspondent.]

PASADENA, Dec. 23.—The Pasadena Tournament of Roses is viewed each year by about 200,000 people. They come from all parts of the country to see the great spectacle of roses, but here's a man who has lived in Pasadena all his life and has never seen the pageant.

Police Sergeant Edward Abbott is a pioneer of Pasadena and for the past twelve years he has marched at the head of a platoon of police officers clearing the street for the floats, but not once has he set eyes on the beautiful floral entries.

"After the crowds have left and the excitement is all over, I go home, sit down in an easy chair and witness the great New Year's parade via the newspapers," declared the sergeant today.

"ROMEO" IS STABBED IN BEACH FRAY

Boarder Arrested After Row Alleged to Have Arisen Over Woman

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Dec. 23.—Harry Smith, 24 years of age, of 1066 East Broadway, is in the city jail here today and L. O. Malcolm, of 205 Spring street, is in bed at his home with a knife wound in his left side, the result, police say, of a jealous quarrel over two women late last night. Smith will be charged with an assault with a deadly weapon, police declared.

Malcolm was visiting at the home of Mrs. L. E. Johnson, where Smith also lives, police investigation revealed, when an altercation arose. Malcolm was calling upon Mrs. Johnson's daughter, Lorea Johnson, but became attentive to the girl's mother, thus arousing the ire of Smith, it is alleged. During the altercation Smith is alleged to have seized a butcher knife and attacked Malcolm. The latter sustained a wound in his left side, which, according to Dr. N. S. Bevins, who attended him is not serious.

Headaches from Slight Colds

The Tonic and Laxative Effect of Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets quiet restless a Headache or relieve a Cold. The box bears the signature of E. W. Grove. 30c.

Japanese Given Alien Land Act Interpretation

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

HANFORD, Dec. 23.—Tamezo Takimoto, general secretary of the Japanese Association of America, and Albert H. Elliott of San Francisco, its attorney, were dinner guests here at the Hotel Kings of prominent Japanese of Kings county, and also delivered addresses at the Japanese church, giving interpretation of recent court decisions on the Alien Land Act of 1920.

They told the Japanese what they can and cannot do under the act, so they can adjust themselves to the law with as little friction as possible. Attorney Elliott contends that the law was an expression of race prejudice made without a full conception of its effect on agricultural interests.

LEGION MEN PLAN FOR CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

POMONA, Dec. 23.—Members of the Charles P. Rowe Post of the American Legion here are planning to pay a very touching Christmas token to the Pomona men who died in the World War by placing a wreath Christmas morning at the base of the service men's memorial statue in Garfield Park. This statue was unveiled recently with impressive ceremonies at which thousands were in attendance from all over Southern California. According to the plans of Commander Alvin G. Goodell, a bugler will play "taps" and then the wreath will be placed at the base of the statue by a delegation from the Legion.

WORK RESUMED ON UNFINISHED HOTEL

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SIERRA MADRE, Dec. 23.—Work on Sierra Madre's uncompleted $1,000,000 hotel was resumed yesterday when a crew of builders again took up their duties for the first time in several months. For some unknown reason, M. N. Putman, the owner, stopped operations of the building when it was but half finished. He now declares the hotel, which will be the most expensive in the city, will be completed soon after the holidays.

TO DEMAND CUT RATES

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 23.—Special reduced week-end rates from Los Angeles and San Francisco to Fresno and return will be demanded of the railroads by the advertising committee of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce in a new drive to increase tourist travel to the San Joaquin Valley.

Rebuild Comrade's Wind-Razed Home

Pasadena Girls Serve Lunch to Legionnaire Carpenters

CHRISTMAS TURKEYS AT LOW PRICES

Drop in Local Markets Laid to Importations at Thanksgiving

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 23. — Christmas turkeys are moving well here, according to Manager Nance of the Poultry Association. Porterville butcher shops are supplying most of the local trade but the association is shipping by truck to Los Angeles, about three or four tons having gone to date. They are bringing 28 cents dressed and 23 cents alive at the association, while 18 cents is being paid at the ranch as against 27 cents this time last year. Holiday trade is expected to pretty well clean up local flocks, Nance says, and farmers may break even on present prices but will not make anything.

Last Christmas there was a good profit. A local man returned from San Francisco yesterday with two fine birds which he had purchased at 12 1-2 cents per pound alive. Imported birds are held responsible for the drop at Thanksgiving. Local prices are lower than for fifteen years.

CLEW TO IDENTITY

Discovery May Clear Up Mystery Case at Long Beach

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Dec. 23.—Mystery surrounding the finding two months ago in the willows north of the city of a badly decomposed body, which was never identified, may be cleared up soon, police said today, following the finding of a note and a quart bottle of oxalic acid near the spot by two boys yesterday. The note, written in the language of Czecho-Slovakia, and signed by Joe Klepeck, was addressed to Mr. and Mrs. Halmy and was dated October 29. Efforts to locate the man and woman to whom it was addressed have proven unsuccessful so far, and tomorrow police will endeavor to have the note translated.

It is their belief that the missive is a "suicide note" and that its translation will establish the identity of the dead man and the details of his death. The finding of the oxalic acid leads police to believe that he ended his life by swallowing a quantity of the poison.

Eat Xmas Day dinner, Silver Peak Guest Ranch. Ph. Pomona Sub. 5.—[Advertisement.

HORSEBACK VICTIM EXPECTED TO LIVE

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 23.—Miss Louise Drummond, prominent Pasadena society girl, who for the last eight days has lain in the Pasadena Hospital unconscious as a result of a fall from her horse, regained her senses for the first time this afternoon. She remained conscious a few minutes and then relapsed into sleep. Miss Drummond, who is widely known in Pasadena and Los Angeles, was injured last Sunday while horseback riding in the Arroyo Seco with Alfred Thomas, another well-known Pasadenan. According to her companion she was knocked to the ground when her horse ran under a tree, the underhanging branches dislodging her from the saddle. She resides with her mother at 1260 Linda Vista Drive.

SANITARY PARLEY

National Anti-Water Pollution League Meeting Planned

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 23.—The beach cities will be asked to send representatives to the national conference on protection of ocean and inland waters from pollution by tar, oil and injurious refuse of any sort. Directors of the Chamber of Commerce have received notification of the coming conference.

It is proposed to call the conference for a date after March 1 next year and make it a permanent advisory board to fight pollution. Educational campaigns are being conducted. The board is to submit a report to the National Coast Anti-Pollution League.

VETERANS DO GOOD TURN

Home of Disabled World War Soldier Wrecked by Wind Replaced by New One

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 23.—Here is the American Legion's Christmas gift to one of Pasadena's disabled war veterans. During the recent windstorm this veteran's home was completely blown to pieces. The house was all he had in the world, and when the wind died down he had nothing.

Today forty members of the Pasadena Post of the American Legion armed with hammers, nails, saws and other equipment, built their comrade a brand new home. The lumber used was purchased from Legion funds.

A number of pretty Crown City girls arrived on the scene about noon time and served the men with beans, coffee, doughnuts and the like. It was a joyous occasion for all, especially for the little Swedish carpenter who was doing the job, for he took great pleasure in ordering his former captain and other officers to carry up the "two-by-fours" and "to be quick about it."

It was a true surprise and Christmas present for the stricken veteran of the World War.

TEAM DISSATISFIED WITH LETTER AWARD

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

REDLANDS, Dec. 23.—There is general dissatisfaction among the students at the University of Redlands over the present of awarding letters for football. At present sixteen letters are given besides those given to injured men and the plan is to change the constitution so that seventeen letters will be awarded.

Also there is a movement on foot to have the letters awarded on the basis of time played and no definite number fixed.

This year football letters are to be awarded to the following men: Capt. Taylor, Gene Hayes, Donald Thompson, H. Campbell, Leroy Pettibone, Mervin Blythe, M. E. Bradley, James Brougher, Chief McGilbra, R. Wiley, M. Simpson, Major Belcher, H. Ford, T. Morse, J. Reidman, H. Scott and C. Johnson.

"MASHER SMASHING" CAMPAIGN PLANNED

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 23.—Charges of lax moral conditions in West Fresno and particularly in the vicinity of packing plants has led to the appointment of a "masher smashing" committee of five members of the First Ward Rate and Taxpayers' Association to confer with the police in a campaign to eliminate this condition. Statements by members of the association that resulted in the movement were that street corner flirtations of an obnoxious nature are too numerous, that the conduct of young men and girls in the district has become a nuisance and that one street in the vicinity is becoming notorious. Rev. Cornelius Reichert was named on the morals committee with A. B. Peters H. Hyde, J. C. Bopp and P. A. Fries.

SIERRA MADRE GIVEN CITY MARKER PERMIT

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

SIERRA MADRE, Dec. 23.—For three years Sierra Madre has been negotiating with the State Highway Department for permission to erect two huge electric signs across the Foothill Boulevard informing tourists that they are about to enter Sierra Madre. Today the Chamber of Commerce announced that they had received the permit. The signs will be built at the foot of Sierra Madre avenue and Baldwin avenues, the two entrances of the city. They will be electrically illuminated and will cost approximately $2000, and $400 each year for their upkeep. Now that the permit has been obtained the Chamber is working out a way of securing the necessary funds.

CAPSIZED PLEASURE BOAT DROWNS WOMAN

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 23.—One woman was drowned and ten other persons narrowly escaped death when a glass bottom boat capsized off the rocks of one of the Coronado islands this afternoon. The victim of the accident was pinned under the boat when it capsized and her body was not recovered until the boat drifted ashore. Mrs. Ora E. Cushman, 31 Franklin street, Westfield, Mass., was the woman who lost her life.

SEPARATION BRINGS WOE TO SPOUSE

Wife Says Mate Forgot to Return, According to Trial Agreement

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 23.—Trial separations of the wedded are as disastrous as the trial marriages might be, thinks Camille Munsey, who has filed suit for divorce from James Munsey.

Married at Long Beach, February 15, 1922, the Munseys quarreled almost continuously for weeks, according to Mrs. Munsey's charges in the complaint. Two days after the ceremony her mate called her a "hell cat," she states and they agreed to a trial separation of six months in the hopes that their wedded life would be more congenial when they were reunited.

But Munsey even forgot he had a wife during the trial separation, the wife complains. When she returned to him six months later Munsay had married Jessie Simmers in San Diego and introduced her to his friends as his wife the first, Mrs. Munsey adds.

Silver Peak Guest Ranch—serves meals of unusual merit, charming surroundings. Ph. Pomona Sub. 5. —[Advertisement.

MONROVIA TREE AWAITS SANTA

Annual Celebration Program Ready for Tonight

Entertainment for Children of San Gabriel Valley

Real Christmas Cheer Will be Given to Poor

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

MONROVIA, Dec. 23.—Tomorrow night Monrovia's fifth annual municipal Christmas tree celebration will be given in the City Park, and preparations are being made to entertain 3000 children from Monrovia and adjacent cities of the San Gabriel Valley.

The entertainment will begin with a band concert at 4:30. There will be an invocation by Rev. Harry Shepherd, Methodist pastor; community singing of "Holy Night," followed by a Christmas pantomime under direction of Mary McClure, with the appearance of Santa Claus as the climax.

A gigantic cedrus deodara, moved and planted in the City Park lawn five years ago, is being decorated and at the touch of Santa Claus's hand will flash forth into a thousand gleaming lights. Immediately thereafter Santa Claus and his dozens of aides will pass out the presents, each child receiving a bag of candy and nuts, a toy and in the case of the girls a doll.

While the Christmas tree program with its music, pantomime and gay color, is the most conspicuous part of the municipal celebration, less than a third of the funds are spent on this phase of the entertainment. The greater part goes to providing real Christmas cheer for the poor and needy. Bulging baskets, each with its fat hen and other good things, will be sent out tomorrow afternoon, after a careful check has been made of all the names and in so far as the committee is able, not a soul in Monrovia but will have the means of a real and substantial Christmas dinner Tuesday.

NEW SALES PLAN FOR RAISIN ASSOCIATION

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 23.—Definite announcement has been made by Ralph P. Merritt, president of the Sun-Maid Raisin Growers, that no successor will be appointed in the place of J. A. Brogdon, sales manager of the association, who resigned two weeks ago, but that the sales activities of the organization will be handled in the future through the Sunland Sales Association.

Merritt himself will head the sales division, which will be operated under a separate charter of its own, and the work of the corporation will be divided into three departments—products, sales and office administration.

SOUTH GATE HEALTHY

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE]

SOUTH GATE, Dec. 23. — The health report of this city, according to Dr. Charles H. Wilson, health officer, shows that during the month of November there were no contagious diseases reported in the city; that there were five births and only two deaths during the month.

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ON THE DAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS

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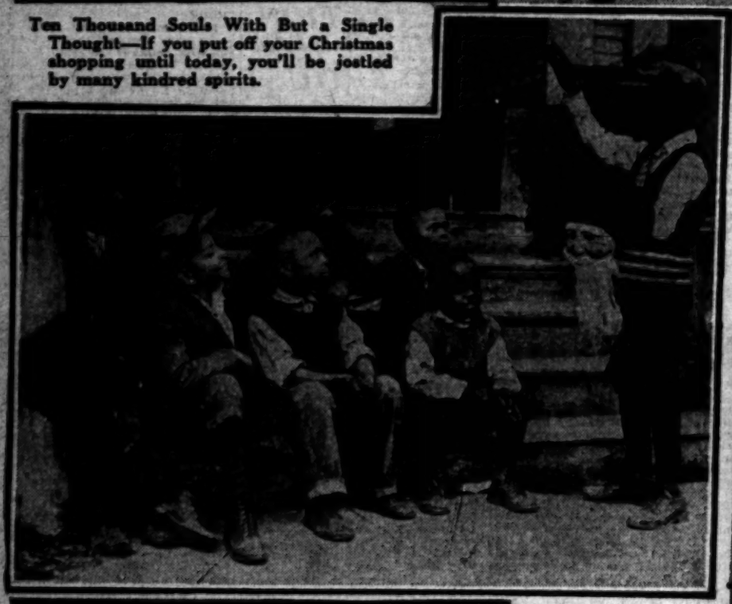
Ten Thousand Souls With But a Single Thought—If you put off your Christmas shopping until today, you'll be jostled by many kindred spirits.



Klis Klingle Comes Soon — The spirit of Christmas pervades Los Angeles from Apablasa street to the Wilshire district.

Out on the Reservation—Christmas didn't mean much, but in Los Angeles, the brave dons his best blanket and joins the shopping throngs.

The Summit of Desire—for a little girl, is attained by the possession of a doll that walks and talks.

Boy, There Ain't Nothin' Else But—Young Central avenue demonstrates, by means of a mask, what may be expected on the morrow.

Ask Dad, He Knows—"This," he tells his daughter, "is where Mother buys my Christmas gift."

The Ones Whom Life Has Broken—Will have their desolation lightened by one of the charitable agencies supported by big-hearted Angelenos.

Santa and His Twin Brother—And their countless cousins all did their bit to keep alive the faith of children.

And the Japanese Sand Man—Children have no nationality tomorrow. They are one in childhood and spirit, which is what makes Christmas so beautiful.

Maybe There is a Santy—The bootblack on the left makes a declaration of simple faith.

For Poor Little Children—The Salvation Army functions. Even though you're hurried, don't forget that, as this child didn't.

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CHARLIE PADDOCK DENIES ATTACK ON A.A.U. IN SIGNED STATEMENT

UNTER GIVES HIS SIDE OF CONTROVERSY

Charges for Which Prout Bans Him From Olympics; Explains It All

controversy between Charlie Paddock, holder of a series of world's dash records, and the Amateur Athletic n stirred up the whole athletic world during the past weeks, finally resulting in the declaration by President of the association that Paddock will not be allowed to ete America in the 1924 Olympic games in Paris.

Paddock has been accused of making statements attacking officials for the manner in which the games in Paris are being handled, and of having violated rules of the association, and of the principles of professionalism, and athletes have been disenfranchised. Charles Prout, has issued the whole matter, saying Paddock has given much and received little in return for his efforts in behalf of the sport. This statement follows in full:

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Ireland First to Challenge for Davis Cup

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Ireland, which made its debut last season as a Davis Cup contender, has filed the first challenge for the 1924 contest for international team tennis honors, it was announced tonight by the United States Lawn Tennis Association.

Under the zone system, Ireland will compete in the European zone and, according to reports, will enter a strong team.

In connection with its challenge, the Irish Lawn Tennis Association extended an invitation to Americans to compete in the Irish championships, June 16 to 21, the week preceding the English championships at Wimbledon.

Sydney, Australia, in meeting a popular demand in introducing municipal tennis, in Moore Park there, nine new courts, six turf and three hard, are under construction.

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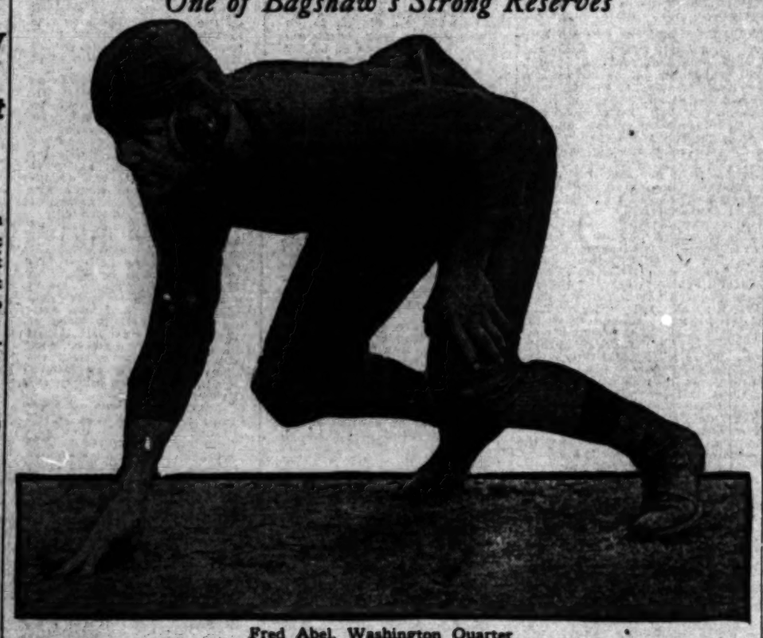

Fred Abel, Washington Quarter

He is coming south with the Huskies to meet the Middies at Pasadena New Year's Day. Capable Mr. Abel will play quarter if Les Sherman is not able. Sherman is the regular signal shouter, but has been laid up with injuries. The Abel family has been prominent on the grid at Seattle for many years.

TESREAU IS ON SICK LIST

Husky Fullback May Not be Able to Play Against Navy New Year's Day

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SEATTLE, Dec. 23.—Washington may be, without its big sophomore fullback, Elmer Tesreau, in the Pasadena game New Year's Day. The big fullback is under the care of a physician with a boil on his knee, infection from which has caused him two sleepless nights.

The husky fullback spent most of Sunday in bed under orders from Dr. Don Palmer and it is almost certain that he will miss much of this week's practice. Should the Washington team lose Tesreau it will be hit the hardest blow it possibly could be hit. Capable substitutes for him have not been developed this year simply because they don't exist on the squad. There are a number of medium-sized boys who combine speed with a certain amount of hitting ability and Check Smith, a good-sized youngster, but slow on his feet.

Tesreau's troubles make it seem doubly certain that Fred Abel will be in the game. Coach Bagshaw's probable line-up would put both Abel and Ziel in the game, Abel at fullback, Ziel at right half, George Wilson at left half and Sherman at quarterback.

This backfield would have considerable speed but not the punch that Tesreau puts into the backfield nor the defensive ability that he has shown.

The Washington squad had a rest today and will work out at 10 o'clock Monday morning after which many members of the squad will leave for their homes to spend Christmas. The majority of the men live in near by cities, which will permit their going home and returning in time for the practice called for Wednesday afternoon.

NET TOURNEY IN FINALS

Godshall and Allen Face Hahn and Donnell for Pasadena Doubles Title

The Pasadena midwinter tennis tournament, in progress at Hotel Huntington, advanced to the finals in men's doubles and semifinals in men's singles yesterday, when a couple of dozen preliminary matches were played. In the doubles Godshall and Allen waded through three rounds, defeating Walter Westbrook and Stevens Royce in the semifinals, and will face Herb Hahn and Donnell next Saturday in the finals.

The singles progressed as expected, with Westbrook and Wyn Mace surviving in the upper half of the draw, while Bob Allen and Godshall remain in the lower brackets. Semifinal and final rounds in singles will be played Saturday at Hotel Huntington.

Godshall and Allen were forced to three sets before they could eliminate Westbrook and Royce, finally winning, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3. Next the youngsters took on Ashe and Isbell and won in straight sets, 6-2, 8-6.

In the singles, Godshall trimmed Walter Bowers, 6-2, 8-6, and Mike Dolin, 6-1, 6-1, before teaming up with Allen in the doubles. Allen had a little exercise himself in singles, winning two hard-fought matches. He defeated Whinney, Gadshall and Allen were forced 6-4, 6-4, and then eliminated Clark, 7-5, 13-11, in a stubborn battle.

An exhibition doubles match, in addition to semifinals and finals, next Saturday will bring Dick Hinckley and Ted Mertz in competition with Godshall and Allen.

THREE CALIFORNIANS ON ANNAPOLIS GRID LINE-UP

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

ANNAPOLIS, Dec. 23.—Three sons of California will be among the Naval Academy backs when the sailor football team plays against the University of Washington at Pasadena in that State on New Year's Day.

They are Alan Shapley, Vallejo; Herbert R. Ballinger, San Pedro, and Albert Handly, Los Angeles. The latter has just been added to the list. The other backs who will be taken are:

McKee, Barchet, Cullen, Devens, Flippin and Harvey.

Shapley is counted on to be the main spring of the Navy's attack. Powerful and fast, he has, during the last half of the Navy's regular schedule, carried the ball more and gained a greater number of yards than any other Navy back. This was particularly true in the army game. He has been groomed to fill any position in the backfield.

Ballinger is the Navy's greatest threat as a dropkicker, and scored by this method against both Pennsylvania State and Princeton. If the Navy is going to take a try for points by this method, Ballinger will be called upon. He is also a hard line hitting back. Handley is a good distance punter and a fair running back.

LION HUNTING IS POPULAR SPORT

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PHOENIX, Dec. 23.—Something new in the way of sportsmanship is being tried by David M. Newell, an eastern writer, who has taken employment with the United States Biological Survey, and who has come, with Sam Adams of Florida and a pack of eleven foxhounds, bloodhounds and Airedales, to hunt lions and other predatory animals in the mountains of Arizona. This is a new experience with Mr. Newell, though he has done much work against wolves, foxes, coyotes and bears. Under Inspector Musgrave thirteen men now are employed in the work of extermination of predatory animals in Arizona.

Georgetown University will only play eight basketball games this season.

UNITEDS TIP OVER ENGLISH

Sons of St. George Soccer Team Loses 3 to 1; L.A.A.C. Clinches Title

The Los Angeles United soccer team defeated the Sons of St. George yesterday at Washington Park, 3 to 1. The margin represents the difference in the class of play put up by both teams, the United taking advantage of every opportunity offered. The Reds were woefully weak in the goal mouth. The count at the half was 3 to 0, in favor of the United, through the efforts of Lickie, Downey and Patterson. Maynard averted a shutout for his side when he netted in the second half.

Right at the jump, the United showed they were on the ball at all stages. Parkinson centered a ball that seemed to be destined for out of bounds, and Lickie converted. Nobody imagined a goal could be scored out of such a situation. The second goal was registered after an appeal for offside had been made, but Downey, playing the whistle, went right through with his job, and the counter was allowed.

The Shell Oil and Rangers played a listless 0-to-0 tie. Their work in front of goal was far below the ordinary standard, and many chances were lost, which, otherwise could have been turned into good account. There is a big gap between Class A and Class B soccer.

The Los Angeles Athletic Club eleven defeated the Long Beach United at the seaside yesterday by a score of 7 to 0 and thereby clinched the league championship and the cup and medal emblematic of the title.

At Pasadena the Overseas and Scots played a 3-to-3 tie. The former were ahead 3 to 1 at the half, but the Scottish backed in the afterpiece and knotted the count through the efforts of Cook and Holmes. Elder and Davidson (2) were the scorers for the Overseas.

In the other battle at Pasadena the Pasadenans and Burr Creamery finished up in a 1-to-1 knot.

HUNTERS KILL FIVE BEARS IN ONE DAY

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

HOLBROOK (Ariz.) Dec. 23.—Cleve Miller and DeWitt Cosper, in the White Mountains south of Holbrook, killed five black bears in a single day, the animals averaging 500 pounds. Besides these, they wounded a big brown bear, but lost him in the chase. Returning next morning, they found that one of the bears killed had been partially devoured by a bear that had been missed in the round-up.

Near Springerville W. B. Russell has killed what has been known as the "cyclone bear," a beast claimed to have destroyed 200 head of sheep in a single night. It appeared to slay for simple pleasure, getting into a sleeping band and striking in all directions, the scattered sheep usually dead as they fell. The animal weighed about 500 pounds.

Southern California Athletic and Country Club will erect a thirteen-story building especially featuring sporting accommodations. Women, too, will be provided for as a gymnasium will be exclusively for the fair sex.

OLYMPIC CLUB GRIDDERS HERE

Coach Bob Evans Brings Men for Big Battle

Redskins Have Great Aerial Offensive Game

Coach Hanley's Eleven is Favorite to Win

Led by Coach Bob Evans a grim and determined bunch of football players representing the Olympic Club of San Francisco will arrive in this city this morning, confident that the Haskell Indians will not scalp them in tomorrow's grid encounter at Washington Park, as has been hinted by the Redskins. The visitors from the north are not going into the game with any mistaken notion of the strength of their rivals, and on the other hand intend to do a little hair pulling or whatever is necessary to win the game themselves.

Manager O. E. Hollingberry, who takes care of the business end of the club team's arrangements, blew into Los Angeles yesterday, bringing word that the Olympics have been practicing night and day in hopes of winning the contest. Evans will have no makeshift line-ups. He intends to start the regulars who have shown well during the season, and these guys will be augmented by stars who have lately joined the organization.

The Bay City team will work out at Washington Park at 11 o'clock this morning, following which Coach Dick Hanley will put his Redskins through a light practice.

FULL OF THRILLS

From all advance indications the game should be chock full of thrills. Both teams are playing their closing game for the season and each will be out to show everything. Neither eleven has anything to lose and consequently there should be no attempts to up, or the usual stalling characteristic of many so-called championship battles. The Olympians will have a lot to crow about if they trim the Redskins, while on the other hand the Indians don't like the idea of closing their season with a defeat.

INDIANS COLORFUL

It is a safe bet that Coach Dick Hanley's "Injuns" will make the battle an interesting one to watch. If ever a team showed a more diversified repertoire in practice we have yet to see such. The former Washington State star has combined a powerful running attack around Big Chief John Levi and Carpenter, with a brilliant and bewildering forward pass offensive which should keep the Olympians guessing through the entire game.

GREAT PASSING TEAM

Especially will the aerial attack of the Redskins bother the Bay City men. Big Chief John Levi does most of the passing for the Haskell team, but the exact time and place of his "shots" is always different. He passes on the dead run, and although we don't know for sure we will bet that half the time John is supposed to pass he just keeps on running around the end, principally on account of wonderful interference and also because the defense will invariably hang back, expecting a pass. John's brother heaves the leather now and then and Elkins can also pass. Carpenter, who seems to be the Indian man of all work, shifts back from his end berth and either carries the oval or throws a forward. All of which smatters of a rather diversified offensive.

GOLF GOSSIP by Charles West

VIRGINIA

Dick Linares and George Kerrigan administered a systematic defeat to their professional guests, Ed Gayer of Hillcrest and Harry Pressler of Hacienda, yesterday at the Virginia Country Club, 5 and 4. The match was an exhibition affair staged for the benefit of the caddy fund at the Long Beach club.

Medal scores were all excellent, Kerrigan's 72 leading the rest. Linares had a 73, Pressler a 74 and Gayer a 76.

BRENTWOOD

George Naylor, finishing one down in match play against par, won the Brentwood Country Club's ball sweepstakes yesterday. Tom Morgan was 4 down for second honors and A. A. Lamb took third place, finishing 5 down.

Professional Art Merritt declares that the links were kept busy by about 250 players yesterday.

MIDWICK

Gwynn Bowen and Chick Fraser won in a snappy foursome played at Midwick yesterday against Scotty Armstrong and L. S. Ford. Bowen had a 73, while Fraser and Armstrong were close behind with a 74 and 76, respectively.

John D. Baxter of Midwick is the recipient of considerable praise on his latest literary effort, which has just left the press. Baxter, who is a horseman of no little reknown, a golfer of ability and a yachting enthusiast, as well as an author, has caught humorous bits of country club life and assembled them very cleverly in a volume of short verses, entitled, "Locker Room Ballads." Polo, golf and tennis, as seen from a humorous angle, are featured in poetry, which is illustrated by James Montgomery Flagg.

HILLCREST

Mrs. Harry Grossman set a new course record for women at Hillcrest yesterday with a well-played 91. Scores in the nineties even among masculine players are not overly common on the tricky Hillcrest links, and Mrs. Grossman is to be congratulated on her score.

Herman Politz and A. Frank tied for low net in the blind bogey held yesterday, each having an 80. B. Vischeiser and F. Badt divided honors for second place with 79's.

WILSHIRE

Willie Hunter had a 71 at Wilshire yesterday, which is a score worthy of the Southern California champion. He was playing with George Von Elm in a twosome.

As at all clubs, Wilshire's links were densely populated all day yesterday.

CALIFORNIA

An eighteen-hole medal-play tournament will be held next week-end at the California Country Club for the Bishop-Perig-Morgan trophy.

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MILLER'S WORK RUINS WHITES

Star Polo'st Runs Wild as Purples Win

Scores Four Out of Six Goals for His Team

Large Crowd of Spectators Witness Match

BY BRAVEN DYER

Teddy Miller, riding with as much speed and fearlessness as one of the original Four Horsemen, brought victory to the Purple quartet of the Midwick Club yesterday afternoon in their polo match with the Whites, the score being 6 to 4. Miller's brilliant playing was the outstanding feature of the day's festivities and the crowd of 2000 spectators were time and again thrilled by his accurate goal shooting and hard riding.

The Whites started out with a great rush, getting three goals in the first chukker on good shots by Perkins, Wigmore and Hunt. Their lead was short-lived, however, for Carleton Burke did some beautiful playing in the second and third periods, and then Teddy Miller began to run wild all over the field, making seemingly impossible shots and taking the ball away from the Whites when goals by that team seemed imminent.

BURKE SCORES

With the Whites holding a three-point lead after their trio of goals in the opening chukker, spectators dropped back for what looked like a runaway match. But with the opening of the second period it was soon apparent that the Whites were not going to run away with the bacon without a determined effort on the part of the Purples. Carleton Burke came dashing down the field, and after Arthur Perkins had nullified one of Miller's shots at the goal with a beautiful backhand drive, the Midwick leader sneaked in close and drove the ball through the posts. Miller and Wigmore both broke mallets in this chukker, which was full of action from start to finish.

Miller started on his scoring rampage in the third chukker, taking the ball down the field in short shots. His final drive at the posts was wide, however, and it was not until he again brought the ball down the field and passed across to Burke that the Purples scored again, the latter coaxing the pellet through with a neat dribble.

MILLER RUNS WILD

In the fourth chukker Miller made one of the prettiest plays of the day when he stopped a backhand drive by Perkins in mid-air and then carried the ball half the length of the green and shot goal without difficulty. This score tied the count at three-all.

Miller repeated his performances in the next period, when he stopped a shot in mid-field, dribbled the ball down the green and drove a neat goal. Wigmore had missed a goal for the Whites early in the chukker and Miller also had a good drive before he actually scored. Perkins missed a free shot.

Not content with the one-point lead which his team held at the close of the fifth chukker, Miller

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HAWAIIAN GRIDDERS ARE ISLAND CHAMPS

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

HONOLULU, Dec. 23.—The Army football team of the Hawaiian Department yesterday defeated the team of the Fourteenth Naval District, 16 to 14. The Army victory gives the Islands championship to the University of Hawaii, which tied the Navy, and won all of its other contests. The naval team has held the championship for two years.

SQUASH TENNIS CHAMP

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Thomas Coward yesterday won the national squash tennis championship by defeating Augustine J. Cordier, a former champion, in straight games, 15-11, 15-5 and 15-12.

WALTER ECKERSALL IS HERE FOR GAME

Walter Eckersall, former all-American football star, who is to referee tomorrow's football game between the Haskell Indians and Olympic Club, blew into this city last night. Boles Rosthenal, one of Andy Smith's assistants at the University of California, will be one of the other officials, as will Coach McCord, Big Ten mentor.

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Zev to Vie With Epinard in Three Sweepstakes

Turf Events Will be Staged Here Next Summer

Grey Lag Considered One of America's Greatest

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Two American horses, Zev and Grey Lag, have been nominated by their owner, Harry F. Sinclair, to run in the Ascot Gold Cup race in England next June, but it is probable that Grey Lag will be the only one to compete.

Walter S. Vosburgh, official handicapper of the Jockey Club, announced today the entries were made by Mr. Sinclair. Since they were posted, however, Mr. Sinclair has agreed with Pierre Wertheimer to enter Zev against Epinard, the French horse, in at least three sweepstakes in this country later in the summer than the Ascot.

NO ROUND TRIP

After Zev beat Papyrus Mr. Sinclair expressed a desire that the two horses meet again, and accordingly entered his champion for the English Ascot. With Epinard coming here, it seems improbable that Mr. Sinclair will give Zev a round trip across the Atlantic before meeting him.

Grey Lag, now a five-year-old, has been considered one of the best horses developed in this country in a generation, remarkable alike for speed and staying powers.

TWO-MILE EVENT

The Ascot is at two miles, weight for age and had its first running in 1807. One American horse has won it—Fox Hall, owned by Foxhall Keene and his brother in 1912.

PROTEST OFFICIAL IN FOOTBALL GAME

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—As a sequel to today's Woodland 13-to-9 victory over the Sacramento Athletic Club in a game played on the Woodland gridiron this afternoon, Commissioner Marvin Nevis of the Sacramento organization, will file a protest with the president of the Northern California Football League, against Referee Letowne, claiming avowed partiality, misinterpretation of rules and conduct unbecoming an official.

Nevis claims that two touchdowns were scored by Sacramento, but that these were unjustly disallowed, and further that the referee told Captain Bud Silva of the Sacramento eleven that he intended to give the visitors the worst of it. Nevis will also charge that Charley Erb, of the Woodland team was continually off-side but that the officials refused to take any cognizance of protests.

SARAZEN DEFEATS FLORIDA CHAMPION

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.) Dec. 23.—Gene Sarazen, former American open champion, and Johnny Farrell of the Quaker Ridge Golf Club of Mamaroneck, N. Y. defeated Charles H. Mayo, Municipal pro, and Al Ulmer, six times amateur State champion, here yesterday afternoon in a brilliant exhibition match of eighteen holes, 3 up and 2 to play.

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Sports of 1923

BY FEG MURRAY

Some Notable Victories

The outstanding team victory of the year in track and field athletics was the University of California's third successive triumph in the eastern intercollegiate meet. Walter Christy's team carried the trophy back to the Coast due almost entirely to their efforts in the field events. California also won the Pacific Coast Conference meet

The University of Michigan won both the Western Conference and the National Intercollegiate meet, while the Illinois Athletic Club scored notable victories in the national indoor meet, and the national outdoor junior and senior championships.

University High School of Chicago won the annual interscholastic meet at Stagg Field, their victory being featured by the sprinting records set by Gene Goodwillie.

Yale and Harvard and Oxford and Cambridge held an international track meet, the Britishers winning six firsts, while the Americans won five, one event being a tie.

The first national women's track and field meet was held at Newark, N. J., on September 29. Kathryn Lee, who high jumped 4ft. 10⅞in., and Helen Filkey, who ran the 60-yard hurdle in 8⅘ seconds, and running broad jumps, 16ft. 6⅝in., set new records during the year.

Charley Paddock, "world's fastest human," got himself in bad with the powers that be by going to Paris to run in a meet when the A.A.U. said he couldn't. As he represented the University of Southern California, and did not have to ask the A.A.U.'s permission, it looks as though his disqualification was mostly due to the peeve of a "little group of wilful men" at being slighted.

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ROBERT HUNTER WINS IN DEL MONTE GOLF

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

DEL MONTE, Dec. 23.—Robert Hunter won the first round of match play in Del Monte's Christmas golf tournament today with a four and three victory over Harrison Godwin after a low gross of 79 had put him on top in the qualifying round.

Timothy Healy of New York, low net winner with 92-18-74, won his first match in the afternoon from C. A. Smith of New York two and one. H. A. Wren of Chicago and Ashton Stanley also went into the semifinals, eliminating E. Gilligan and Lou Garby of New York.

NAME SELLMAN CHIEF OF LICK GRID SQUAD

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Roland Sellman, tackle on the Lick Wilmerding High School team of San Francisco, which was beaten for the State championship of the California Interscholastic Federation by Bakersfield High yesterday, will captain the Lick team next season, it was announced today.

BATTLE LOOMS IN CONFERENCE

Rival Basketball Quintets Evenly Matched

Grid Stars Hold Up Teams at Start of Year

Branchers Not as Strong as Anticipated

From all early season indications the 1924 basketball race in the Southern California Intercollegiate Conference is going to be an even tighter affair than the football scramble of not so long ago, which left Pomona and California Tech tied for first honors, and Occidental not so far behind. Practice games to date have shown no surprising strength on the part of any of the clubs and it would seem as if the quintets are fairly evenly matched.

Conference basketball teams invariably get a poor start, due principally to the fact that in the small institutions most of the athletes participate in more than one sport and therefore don't come out for the cage game until after the grid season. Breese at Southern Branch, Merritt, Lang, Worden and McCully at Pomona, Johns and Ferguson at Whittier, Thompson at Redlands, Moyse at Caltech and Ebers, Ridderhoff and Wheeler at Oxy all went through a hard football season and as a result are not in a hurry about turning out.

Coach Caddy Works's Southern Branch outfit is apparently going to miss Cy Gibbs, Buck Beeson, Eaton and the rest who aided in making last year's team such a whirlwind. The Cubs had all they could do Friday night to trim Polytechnic High, 20 to 19, and only a last-minute spurt by the varsity five gave them the victory. Poly was leading at the end of the half, 11 to 4. Horace Breese, captain of the little Bears, was not in the game due to an injury to his shoulder.

Occidental looms up as one of the strongest teams in the loop. The Tigers have indulged in no practice games, principally because most of their men are not turning out until after the holidays. Coach Sid Nichols can be depended upon to develop a strong combination out of such men as Wagner, Ebers, Holliday, Ridderhoff and Wheeler. Oxy has to build up a basketball spirit this season if they are to win out, but the outlook is much more promising than at any time in the past four or five years.

There is material galore at Pomona and if Coach Carl Schott gets his team picked early enough the Sagehens should be a mighty strong aggregation. At least twelve men are capable of playing on the five and it will be a rather tough job for the Sagehen mentor to pick his first quintet. He may decide to use two teams through the season. Right now Lorbeer and either Messing or Wilson look best at the forward berths, while Earl Merritt rates the center place. Capt. Paul Papasian and either Lang, Jessop or Worden have an edge on the guard positions.

Caltech's overwhelming defeat at the hands of the Pasadena American Legion quintet some time ago rather indicates the strength of the service team rather than weakness on the part of the Engineers, who had not been practicing more than a week. Whittier dropped a hard-fought game to LaVerne. The LaVerne lads always play corking good basketball and as Coach Perry's charges entered the game with only five days of practice the result is far from discouraging.

Redlands should have one of the best teams in the league. Thompson, who has been elected to lead the team through the season, and Knights and Hoesgood are veterans from last year. The Baptists dropped a 22-to-14 game to an alumni team last week, but showed good form throughout.

It looks as if the team that spends the holidays practicing will have the edge at the opening, and as Coach Works is following just that plan at the Branch the Cubs may get a flying start on the other clubs.

York, will bring thirty-four riders to the tape December 1. Among new stars is Pete Moeskeps, the giant Hollander, heralded as champion of the world. He is 6ft 2in. tall and weighs 220 pounds. The world's best, distributed among the seventeen two-men teams, will strive for the prizes. It will be the thirty-fifth annual test.

HAROLD POGUE SELECTED AS GREATEST PLAYER AT URBANA

BY WALTER ECKERSALL
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—During the years Robert Zuppke has been coaching football at the University of Illinois, he has developed some wonderful players, warriors who are generally considered superior—taking all angles of football into consideration—to those who played before the Zuppke regime.

To a large extent, Zuppke's success in bringing players to the front each year is his faculty of building plays around them. Unlike some mentors, the Illinois coach does not expect all players to successfully carry the ball on any sort of formation. He plans his offense so that it will enable the fast players to get away without being hampered by a slow interference. If the backs are fast, open formations are used. If they are slow, more compact plays are employed to enable the ball carriers to reach the line of scrimmage as soon as possible, thereby not making it necessary for the blockers to block as long.

Since he has been at Illinois, the present coach has had several players who possessed unusual ability. Some could hit the line, others could skirt the ends, while others were efficient in kicking and throwing forward passes. Most of them, however, were dependable defensive players. In fact, few of the Zuppke elevens can be said to have been weak defensively.

While there have been excellent players who wore the orange and blue colors of the University of Illinois, it is doubtful if any was more valuable to a team than Harold Pogue, who is given the honor of being the greatest player in the history of football at the Urban institution. Although Pogue is rewarded, the fact must not be overlooked that Potsy Clark and Chapman are not far behind and the same is true of Bert Ingwersen, Crangle, Carney and the Fletcher brothers.

Pogue was a member of the championship team of 1914 and played a halfback position. Despite a handicap of poor eyesight, Harold was a feared player by every team Illinois met during his playing days. The Illinois back was also a broad jumper of ability and his speed in racing down to the take-off aided him materially in football. He gathered speed so quickly that he generally went on for a yard or two when opposition was met.

In the open he was a veritable demon. He had such large thighs that he broke many tackles by simply using the hip check when a tackler made his attempt. In addition Harold used the stiff arm to advantage. These tricks in addition to his speed made him a most valuable player and naturally Zuppke built plays around him.

One of the strongest formations which the Illinois coach had for Pogue and one which has been used by other coaches, was dropping Harold back about six yards behind the scrimmage line. In this position, the ball was passed direct to him and he would either skirt the ends or dash off the tackles. The play was sprung behind unbalanced lines at times, while on others Harold hit back on the weak side.

In passing the ball to Pogue the center would always toss the oval a trifle to the right or left, depending of course in which direction the play was to go. This enabled Pogue to catch the ball after starting his run. In other words, there was not an instant's delay and Pogue was on hand to take advantage of any momentary openings.

On defense, Pogue was just as valuable. He was a hard, vicious tackler who generally came up to meet his man after he was sure he had him cornered. Like many smart football players, he anticipated many attacks and was generally at the right place at the proper time. His all around ability together with the fact he was a most respected player by all Illinois' opponents entitles him to the honor.

Potsy Clark was another great player who has helped to make Illinois football history. Bart Macomber is still another, while Walquist, Sternaman, Watson, and many others could be mentioned, but all were a trifle shy of the all around value which Pogue had for his teams.

Going back to the Zuppke regime, Art Hall was an excellent player and so was Fred Lowenthal, Justa Lindgren, and Carl Landgreen. Then there was Jimmy Cook, a great end; Click Matheson, a dependable quarterback; Rothgreb, still another great player and all around athlete. Van Hook was a powerful lineman and so was Jake Stahl, while Dutch Deiner was a capable back, but the honor rightfully belongs to Harold Pogue.

TURFMEN INVADE CITY

Everything in Readiness for Opening of New Track at Culver Tomorrow

Hundreds of veteran horsemen, racing officials and fans all over the country have arrived in Los Angeles for the opening tomorrow afternoon of the new Culver City race track, a plant built under the supervision of Dick Ferris.

Preliminary to the opening, members of the official organization that will conduct the races and have charge of the program for the 100-day meet will hold a conference today with Ferris in his headquarters in the Biltmore Hotel to discuss final arrangements for the initial races to start at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

SURE TO START

Positive announcement was made last night by W. W. Finn, racing secretary of the Southern California Jockey Club, that the races would start rain or shine on scheduled time. Ferris estimated an attendance of more than 50,000 persons if the weather is fair tomorrow.

Ferris and Finn yesterday afternoon granted Arthur [illegible] starter for the new track, on arrival here from [illegible] begin his official duties [illegible] opening day. Mollett is [illegible] the best known racing men in [illegible] country and has been a [illegible] on most of the major [illegible] in the United States during the [illegible] quarter of a century.

More than 600 horses are [illegible] stalled today in the new [illegible] the track, according to [illegible] said these figures [illegible] been shipped here from [illegible] centers all over the country. [illegible] Tijuana.

Sam Maloney, [illegible] investigator on a leave of [illegible] from the Department of [illegible] stated last night that [illegible] measure will be made of [illegible] than fifty operatives of the [illegible] Detective Agency to [illegible] crowds.

SHOOTERS WIN TURKEYS

A truck load of live turkeys was backed up to the door of the Vernon Gun Club yesterday morning, a sure fire sign of something doing in the line of shooting. The signs held true. There was much shooting, much shooters and when old John truck was taken away, it was lighter by many turkeys.

R. W. Warman was shooting a fair line of shootery and copped a bird. The same can be said for Harvey Gillespie and Beckner G. B. Warman came in for his end of the turkey grabbing and must not be overlooked when it comes to mentioning such.

Some shooters won more than one turkey thereby being assured of plenty meat on the table this coming Christmas Day. Other shooters to win birds were Warren, Bob Bagnel, [illegible] Hunter, Gibson, Pugh and Swisher.

The shooting was at twenty-five bird events, resulting as follows:

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GOSSIP FROM GOLF LINKS

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E. B. Hays, S. H. Nelson and C. P. Binder have each won the cup once, and have their names scratched on the side of it for proof. The winner this week will enter a play-off for permanent possession of the cup with the three who have already won a leg on it.

LOS ANGELES

Everett Seaver, veteran of unnumbered tournaments, won the annual fall handicap at the Los Angeles Country Club, defeating C. H. Palmer, Jr., in the final round, 2 up, yesterday. The match was over thirty-six holes. The fall handicap has been in progress for several weeks, and provided strenuous competition all the way through.

SAN GABRIEL

Crawford Waterman almost joined the hole-in-one club [illegible] yesterday. He [illegible] eleventh hole at [illegible] was just a few [illegible] from the cup, but [illegible] so close to [illegible] thrill. He was [illegible] with Whitman [illegible] who defeated him [illegible]

A large crowd [illegible] matched [illegible] Cuddeback [illegible] Shelly's 60 yard [illegible] and E. D. Pratt [illegible] Morton each [illegible]

PASADENA

In the second [illegible] president's and [illegible] cups at the [illegible] Club, four [illegible] played [illegible] matches. [illegible] defeated Ed Lunn [illegible] Capt. McFarland [illegible] W. G. Cuthbert, [illegible] D. Kelly defeated [illegible] Deering, 1 up; [illegible] flight, while E. L. [illegible] defeated [illegible] of Tom [illegible] up in the second [illegible]

About 150 golfers [illegible] vantage of the [illegible] weather yesterday [illegible] dens.

HANS WAGNER'S STORY

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Chapter XI

LAJOIE THROWN IN FOR GOOD MEASURE

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In telling of my sale to Louisville I was thinking so much about myself that I forgot to mention another young ball-player who made history when taken out of our league into fast company.

Billy Nash of the Philadelphia club had been over to Paterson to look me over. That was when George Stallings wouldn't even pay Barrow my carfare as full purchase price to have me with the Phillies. That's how bad George didn't want me.

Nash was very anxious to get another player named Phil Gier, then playing with Fall River in a different league than Paterson. He couldn't come to terms with Fall River and was about to give up.

"There's another young player with Fall River," he was told, "who might turn out to be a pretty good ball player. Why not take him?"

"What's his name?" asked Nash, though he wasn't interested much.

"Lajoie—Napoleon Lajoie, they call him. He can hit pretty good and ought to be a good infielder when he gets a little experience."

"I don't care much about him," declared Nash. "The man I want is Gier."

It finally wound up in Nash agreeing to pay $2500 to get Gier when the management promised to throw Lajoie in for good measure.

When the season was over Nash went up to Woonsocket to locate the boy Lajoie and sign him to a contract, even if it didn't amount to much, as he thought.

"The boy lives here," a policeman told Nash. "He drives a cab and if you'll go over to that cabstand you will probably find him."

Lajoie was up on the box looking for a fare when Nash came up. The matter was explained to him and he was ready in a minute to sign. So Nash made out the paper right there and Lajoie signed the contract, using the top of his cab for a writing table. The old paper still shows the marks.

That's how Lajoie, one of the greatest ballplayers that ever lived, went to the Phillies. And let me tell you that was some team of hitters! Delehanty was of the club as well as Lajoie. When those fellows lit into a pitcher it was tough going. Delehanty made four home runs in one game. I believe he could hit a ball harder than anybody I ever saw except Babe Ruth.

TOBACCO THAT BIT

I am trying not to ramble but it seems like I can't ever get away from my days in Paterson. As I was looking up the old dope on Lajoie I ran across a note from a fan asking me to mention some odd plays and accidents during my days.

I reckon I am the only player in the world who ever had to play first base a half-inning with my gloved hand only, because the other was locked in my hip pocket. All of us in those days carried loose chewing tobacco in our hip pockets. Many ballplayers do now. That is what got me in trouble.

Our Paterson team was playing Hartford and Sam McMacklin was pitching. At the beginning of the inning I walked over to first base, picked up my glove and then reached in my hip pocket for a chew. I went to pull my hand out caught and I was locked. I and in some way the lining couldn't get my hand out to save my life.

I must have looked funny from the bench. The players say I did. I was struggling with one hand in my pocket and waving my other at McMacklin trying to tell him not to pitch. I was helpless.

Sam evidently didn't understand. He shot the ball over and the batter hit it down to Goat Fitch at shortstop. I waved and waved, but that didn't stop Fitch. He picked up the ball and whipped it over to me like a bullet.

There was but one thing to do. So holding my bare hand in my pocket I reached up with the free gloved hand and caught the ball. In the stands and on the bench they thought I was crazy.

Finally Manager Barrow discovered there was something wrong and called to the umpire to stop the game. He came over to me and seeing the difficulty led me back to the bench. Even Barrow couldn't get my hand free and he had to cut the pocket out with a knife so I could go on with the game. The lining had wound itself around my wrist like a rope.

You can't keep a good man down.

It was about that time that I got my first injury in baseball. I was hit on the knee or got it bruised in sliding and the knee got worse and worse. It swelled up as big as your head. The doctor was called in a day or two and they found I had water on the knee.

In those days we played on the Polo Grounds in New York when the Giants were out of town. So Ed Barrow took me to a hospital in New York and had my knee tapped for the water. I was told to stay in the hospital for a week.

I couldn't stand it, though. I never got so lonesome in my whole life. I'll never forget the day I borrowed a pair of crutches and hobbled down to the ball park.

"Mr. Barrow," I pleaded, "I can't stand it up to that hospital. Take me on the trip with you, please. I'll go on my crutches. I've got to have these fellows to talk to."

It certainly was a tragedy to me. I must have had tears in my eyes.

"All right," Barrow finally agreed. "Get up your things and we'll take you."

I made the entire trip of ten days or more on crutches and never missed a game. At the end of that time I was well. If I had stayed in that hospital I don't believe I ever would have got well.

Now that jumps me right back to the Louisville club. Fred Clarke was teaching me a lot about baseball, but, gee, I had a lot to learn. He knew I could hit, but he couldn't find any place to put me when I wasn't batting. He tried me in the outfield.

But there I had a good chance to show off my arm, but sometimes I showed it off too much. Many times I started a peg to the plate, but overplayed my hand and heaved the ball in the grandstand.

Fred encouraged me all he could, but I know he was worried to know what to do with me. In those days, you know, when a fellow was signed he was supposed to play. hey didn't take on young fellows and let them sit on the bench until they had absorbed some knowledge of the game.

NOWHERE TO GO

As a matter of fact I think managers in this day and time often make a mistake in keeping a young fellow on the bench too long. Often they keep him for six months and then trade him without knowing what he really can do. here have been great players who never would have been heard of if they had been judged merely by the way they carried themselves and by their actions on the bench. In the old days we either played ball and made good or we were fired out.

I didn't know it at the time, but Clarke spoke to Barrow, my old manager, about me, saying he had not yet found the right spot for me; that I was too green and awkward in the positions I had played.

"Why don't you try him at short?" Barrow suggested. "I played him there and he did pretty well."

"Might be a good idea," agreed Clarke. "I've tried everything else. Can't do any harm in trying. Yes, I believe I'll experiment."

In a few days I was placed at shortstop, and that began my real major-league career as an infielder. I realized that I would have to learn a lot and make good and I set about to learn it. I was not a natural-born shortstop. I had to train myself to be a good mechanic and I did it by watching others and then practicing their tricks. There is a whole lot to playing shortstop besides merely stopping the ball and throwing to first. No team ever won a pennant without an experienced, skilled mechanic at short. Make no mistake about that. I'll go into more details later.

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Tomorrow

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Pasadena

MONTEBELLO IS EASILY DOWNED

Errors by Losing Squad Spoil Baseball Tilt

Eagles Sew Up Struggle With Early Rallies

Hildebrand Drives Out Long Four-Base Blow

In a game filled with errors, the Pasadena Eagles walloped the Montebello Merchants, 14 to 7, and clinched the Orange Belt baseball pennant. The game was played on the Montebello diamond, and seven errors featured the contest and made it impossible for the rival pitchers to do their best. The Eagles clinched the game in the second and third innings by batting six hits with a number of errors for nine runs. Both teams used two pitchers, Bunny Bench and O. Cox working for the Eagles and O'Neal and Witherington performing for the Montebello outfit.

Hildebrand added a little pep to the December by socking out a home run. Lillis of the Eagles and Frank Peckham, Montebello first-sacker, were the hitting stars, each collecting a trio of hits. Hildebrand, Boltz and Bench all got two hits apiece. The batting of Third Baseman Cawl of the Eagles was one of the features.

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Hilden, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bell, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gillespie, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warman, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bell, c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gilmore, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warren, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bell, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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"As this was said in confidence, I, as one present must have considered and overstepped the bounds of journalists everywhere by my respect and wrote a story of all the remarks that had been made, in quotation, and attached my name to them with explanations.

"The A. A. U. Committee apparently refused to regard my explanations which I wrote them. In the same way, this committee charged me with professionalism, and when I sent in a letter clearing up any doubts they might have entertained, they confirmed the charges without even reading my explanation and introduced another charge, that of my European tour. Running is not the source of my lectures, and the action of the local association of the A.A.U. wrote me a letter which was given unanimous approval of himself and the board of governors.

"Track has been my recreation and my pleasure. It has been as much as tennis and polo to others. I have lived up to it with just as high standards of sportsmanship. It should give me the right to devotee a like amount of enjoyment. I have been enjoying it for many years. My day of competition is probably drawing to a close, though. If those who have charged me with professionalism shall go to bed [illegible] any in who shall [illegible] wish [illegible] games do not wish me as a candidate, I am not going to retire. But I shall most certainly work for those who follow me, that they shall enjoy the same sports and privileges in athletics that belong to them as American citizens.

"I have no desire to me to repeat in closing what I said in Paris during the progress of competition in the International championships: 'In good faith I was invited here. In good faith I have competed. My eligibility for the Olympic games is a question for the colleges, the Amateur Athletic Union and the amateurs themselves to settle. What their decision may be, I desire it may bring about definite action among all the athletes of my country, that we may have a glorious success in the Paris Olympic Games."

O'LEARY GIVES HIKING EXHIBITION

[illegible] O'Leary, champion pedestrian of the world for a good many years, an exhibition of [illegible] stuff at Julian [illegible] today, and came out with [illegible] to spare. He walked a mile [illegible] minutes, ran two miles [illegible] three. William Carpenter, Jerry Dowle and George [illegible] furnished the competition, [illegible] with a six-year-old [illegible] Richard Garner, [illegible] went down to defeat, the [illegible] of 2m. 18s. with O'Leary [illegible] 440 in the phenomenal [illegible] 58s. Dan is to perform [illegible] Barbara next Sunday.

SAN DIEGO OUTFIT BEATS FLEET NINE

[TELEGRAPH DISPATCH]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 23.—The San Diego baseball club came from behind today and defeated the fleet, 7 to 5, for the second time in as many weeks. Love Air awakened in the seventh innings, when the home club scored four times [illegible] eighth innings, when the [illegible] scored the game. Home [illegible] made by Gingland, [illegible] and Galdon, by Gingland, [illegible] by Hastings.

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McGraw	[illegible]
Betts	[illegible]
Fowler	[illegible]
W. Allen	[illegible]
Goodman	[illegible]
Gibbons	[illegible]
Pugh	[illegible]
Nutting	[illegible]
Gillespie	[illegible]
Warren	[illegible]
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yesterday. His tee shot on the eleventh hole at San Gabriel was just a few inches ... from the cup, but rolled ... enough to give Waterman ... thrill. He was playing a ... with Whitney Waterman, ... who defeated him 1 up.

A large crowd and ... marked yesterday's play ... Caddymaster Langdon. ... Ewell's 80 was one of the ... est scores of the day, ... E. D. Plank and Dr. L. ... Morton each turned in ...

PASADENA

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		Flynn,1b-c						
		O'Neal,p						
Totals	[illegible]	Totals	37	7	9	27	10	

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... me to repeat in closing ... in Paris during the ... competition in the In... ... championships: ... faith I was invited ... in good faith I have ... My eligibility for the ... a question for the col... ... and the ama... ... Union to settle. What ... decision may be, I desire ... may bring about definite ... among all the ath... ... of my country, that ... may have a glorious suc... ... Paris Olympic Games."

...O'LEARY GIVES ...WALKING EXHIBITION

... O'Leary, champion pedes... ... world for a good many ... an exhibition of ... stuff at Julian ... and came out with ... He walked a mile ... then ran two miles ... William Carpen... ... Doyle and George ... finished the competition. ... with a six-year... ... Richard Garner, ... went down to defeat, the ... a 440 in the phenom... ... of 1m. 14s. with O'Leary ... Dan is to perform ... next Sunday.

...DIEGO OUTFIT ...BEATS FLEET NINE

[... DISPATCH] ... Dec. 23.—The San ... ball club came from ... and defeated the ... 7 to 5, for the sec... ... many weeks. Love ... in the sev... ... innings, when the ... scored four times ... the game. Home ... by Gingiardi.

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DOWNEY IN WIN OVER CLOTHIERS

Roy Hevle Emerges on Top of Milt Nolan After Hot Pitchers' Battle

Roy Hevle got the better of a pitching duel with Milt Nolan and Downey nosed out the Harris & Frank nine, 4 to 3, in a fast game played yesterday at Downey. Hill's home run with one on in the sixth inning won for Downey.

Hevle fanned twelve batters, while Nolan struck out ten. Both pitchers allowed eight hits. Downey took the lead in the opening frame by counting once on two hits. Both teams scored in the fifth, while Hill's homer scored Smith ahead of him in the sixth for Downey's final runs. Harris & Frank also scored twice in the sixth.

Werth, left fielder for Harris & Frank, was the hitting star of the game, getting two singles and a triple out of three trips to the plate. Hill, with a homer and a double; Morrow, with two singles, and Myers, with a double and a single, were the heavy hitters for Downey. The score:

DOWNEY	AB	R	H	O	A	HARRIS & FRANK	AB	R	H	O	A
Smith,2b	4	1	1	2	2	Flyte,ss	[illegible]				
Morrow,1b	4	1	2	6	1	Galli,cf	[illegible]				
Hill,ss	4	2	2	2	4	Coverley,3b	[illegible]				
Parson,lf	4	0	1	2	0	May,1b	[illegible]				
Ewing,c	4	0	0	12	0	Reice,c	[illegible]				
Edwards,3b	4	0	0	1	1	Werth,lf	[illegible]				
Slater,rf	4	0	0	1	1	Schollin,rf	[illegible]				
Myers,cf	3	0	2	1	0	Tucker,2b	[illegible]				
Hevle,p	3	0	0	0	3	Nolan,p	[illegible]				
Totals	33	4	8	27	12	Totals	33	3	8	24	10

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Downey	[illegible]									—4
Base hits	[illegible]									—8
Harris & Frank	[illegible]									—3
Base hits	[illegible]									—8

SUMMARY

Errors—Hill, Morrow, Hevle, 2; Tucker, Slater. Struck out—By Hevle 12; Nolan 10. Bases on balls—Off Hevle 1; Nolan 2. Stolen bases—Werth, Galli, Hill. Home run—Hill. Three-base hit—Werth. Two-base hits—Myers, Hill. Sacrifice hit—Morrow. Double play—Smith to Hill to Morrow. Time of game—1hr. 45min. Umpire—Stockwell.

MILLER'S WORK RUINS WHITES

(Continued from Ninth Page)

rode wild again, making a beautiful fifty-foot drive for a goal, after Perkins had missed a backhand shot, an unusual occurrence for him. This put the Purples two points to the good.

FAST RIDING

There was plenty of fast riding and hard playing in the seventh period, but no scoring. The Whites showed some of their early match form in the final chukker, and after they had been in possession of the ball for the first three minutes Perkins drove for goal. Miller decided his team was in danger of getting tied or defeated, so proceeded to put the game on ice with a goal after receiving a pretty backhand shot from Cox. The game closed with the Purples about to score again.

Arthur Perkins, whose backhand drives elicited not a little praise from spectators, shared honors with Miller as the day's star. Burke was one of the steadiest players on the field, and Wigmore's string of ponies made him one of the fastest riders, although his horses were inclined to override.

SEASON TO OPEN

The official season is scheduled to start next month, and already there is much interest in the coming matches. Eric Pedley, who has been playing with the Midwick team, was not present yesterday, but will be back to take part in the matches later. Vail's place on the Purples was taken by Cox yesterday, the former being out with injuries.

Purples (6.)		Whites (4.)
Cudahy	No. 1	Wright-man (1)
Miller (4)	No. 2	Wigmore (1)
Burke (2)	No. 3	Bent (1)
Cox	Back	Perkins (1)

SCORE BY CHUKKERS

Purples	[illegible]								—6
Whites	[illegible]								—4

CHINESE ARE BEATEN BY FREMONT WOODMEN

The Fremont Woodmen slammed out sixteen hits and walloped the L. A. Chinese, 13 to 5, in yesterday's City League game played at Maier Park. F. Don, on the mound for the losers, could not get the ball past the Woodmen, who were on a hitting spree.

However, up until the ninth inning the Chinese were still in the running. But in the final frame the Woodmen drove across six tallies. Tatum and Lundmark were the heavy hitters for the Woodmen, the latter getting four hits and the former three. Sage and Phillips each got two hits for the winners, while A. Chung got two bingles in two attempts for the Chinese. Walters allowed the Chinese but five hits. Score:

FREMONT W.O.W.	AB	R	H	O	A	L. A. CHINESE	AB	R	H	O	A
Fitzpat'k,ss	[illegible]					G.Tip,rf	[illegible]				
Tatum,lf						A.Chung,c					
Roman,3b						James,1b					
Lamere,1b						Kai,cf					
Sage,rf						Chion,2b					
Hay,cf						V.Chung,ss					
Lundm'k,2b						T.Lee,3b					
Phillips,c						F.Don,p					
Walters,p						Kam,lf					
Totals	45	13	16	35	9	Totals	31	5	5	27	10

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Fremont W.O.W.	[illegible]									—13
Base hits	[illegible]									—16
L. A. Chinese	[illegible]									—5
Base hits	[illegible]									—5

SUMMARY

Errors—F. Lee. Struck out—By Walters, 8; F. Don, 2. Bases on balls—Off Walters, 5; F. Don, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Tatum. Stolen bases—Roman, 2; Lamere. Three-base hit—Hay. Two-base hits—Lamere, Roman. Sacrifice hit—T. Lee. Time of game—2h. 10m. Umpires—Murphy and O'Connell.

MEXICALI IS WINNER OVER CALEXICO NINE

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CALEXICO, Dec. 23.—Calexico dedicated its $5000 baseball park here today by losing to the Mexicali nine, 7 to 3, after a well-played game. A large crowd of fans witnessed the game. Mayor West of this city caught the first ball pitched by Arturo Guajardo, who represented Gov. Rodriguez, who is now in Tijuana on an official visit.

NO MEETING TONIGHT

The Greater Southern California Baseball Association will not hold its weekly meeting tonight at Spaudings because of the Christmas holidays. Neither will there be a meeting a week from tonight on account of New Years.

EL MONTE CAPTURES TILT

Hollywood Merchants Are Downed, 6-to-1, Because of Making Too Many Errors

Harry Nelson's El Monte Merchants put on a little surprise party for the Hollywood Merchants yesterday at El Monte, taking the Movie city outfit down the line by a 6-to-1 score in a game in which errors robbed the Hollywooders of what chance they had for victory.

Ten Hollywood bobbles ruined for Bob Shanklin a perfectly good pitched game, although Pace, on the mound for El Monte, also pitched a good brand of ball. Shanklin fanned ten men and allowed eight hits, while Pace struck out five and yielded only six bingles.

El Monte took the lead in the second inning by bunching two hits with a couple of errors for a pair of runs and was never headed. In the fifth Hollywood collected one run, but the El Monte squad iced the contest in the seventh by shoving over four markers. Derr, Gottleiber and Whitmore were the hitting stars, all biffing out two hits apiece. Yesterday's victory puts El Monte in second place in the Orange Belt League standings. The score:

HOLLYWOOD MERCHANTS	A	B	R	H	O	A	EL MONTE MERCHANTS	A	B	R	H	O	A
Derr,lf	[illegible]						Loyd,3b	[illegible]					
Lossan,1b							C'borne,ss						
Kauffman,c							Sorey,1b						
J'nson,2b							G'tliber,2b						
Benson,cf							Knox,lf						
Duff,ss							Juncook,1b						
File,rf							Girard,cf						
K'nson,3b							W'more,c						
Shanklin,p							McCabe,c						
Martin,3b							Pace,p						
Totals	34	1	6	27	5	Totals	34	6	8	27	13		

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
El Monte	[illegible]									—6
Base hits	[illegible]									—8
Hollywood	[illegible]									—1
Base hits	[illegible]									—6

SUMMARY

Errors—Derr, Lossan, Kauffman, 3; Duff, 2; File, 2; Shanklin, 2; Clayborne. Innings pitched—By Shanklin 9; Pace 9. Credit victory to Pace. Charge defeat to Shanklin. Struck out—By Shanklin 10; Pace 5. Bases on balls—Off Shanklin 1; Pace 1. Hit by pitched ball—Juncook. Stolen base—Clayborne. Three-base hits—Benson, Lossan. Two-base hit—Clayborne. Double plays—File to Johnstone; Shanklin to Lossan. Time of game—1hr. 50min. Umpires—Benson and Woods.

ASSOCIATED OIL BUMPS BELLFLOWER

Steadman Gets Better of Steiner in Hurling Duel on Losers' Lot

The Associated Oilers nosed out Bellflower, 5 to 4, in a hot game staged yesterday on the Bellflower diamond. Bellflower blew up in the first inning and a hit batsman, two errors, a walk and a couple of hits gave the Oilers four runs and a lead that Bellflower was unable to overcome.

Steadman, on the mound for the Oilers, allowed but two hits, but one of these, a walk and several miscues by his mates gave Bellflower three runs in the seventh. Steadman fanned five batters, while Steiner sent nine back to the bench with three strikes.

A couple of fast double-plays by the home squad's infield nipped a pair of Oiler rallies in the bud. Comstock of the Oilers was the hitting star with three singles in four times at bat. Foss got a double and a single for the winners, while Holston, Fulton and Miller were the only other batters to get hits. It was Bellflower's first defeat. The score:

ASSOCIATED OIL CO.	A	R	H	O	A	BELLFLOWER	A	R	H	O	A
Moore,ss	[illegible]					Neal,2b	[illegible]				
Chalbre,2b						Rothrock,ss					
Foss,3b						Cook,1b					
Holston,c						Fulton,cf					
Comstock,cf						Brandt,lf					
McCue,1b						Miller,3b					
Newman,lf						Showell,rf					
Boseman,rf						McAdams,c					
St'dman,p						Steiner,p					
Garvey,lf						Hickok,lf					
Totals	34	5	6	27	9	Totals	31	4	2	27	3

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Associated Oil	[illegible]									—5
Base hits	[illegible]									—6
Bellflower	[illegible]									—4
Base hits	[illegible]									—2

SUMMARY

Errors — Holston, Miller, McAdams, Steiner. Credit victory to Steadman. Charge defeat to Steiner. Struck out—By Steadman 5; Steiner 9. Bases on balls—Off Steadman 2; Steiner 3. Hit by pitched balls—McCue by Steiner. Two-base hits—Foss, Fulton. Double plays — Miller to Cook; Neal to Rothrock to Cook. Time of game—1hr. 50min. Umpires—Jeffries and Brown.

Typewriters Capture Tilt From Simons

The Los Angeles Typewriter Company nine downed the Simon Brick Company, 8 to 7, in a fast game staged yesterday on the Simon diamond. Joem's home run with one on in the seventh inning helped the Typewriter punchers grab the victory, although the winning run did not come across until the eighth inning.

Both Foley and Orturo, opposing pitchers, were hit hard, but the former managed to strike out nine men. Joem and Angel were the heavy hitters of the game, each poling out a trio of safeties. Ortez, Vasquez, Garcia, Gonzales, Rubio and Quijado also hit the ball hard.

The Typewriters took the lead in the second inning with a four-run rally, but the Simons overcame their rivals with rallies in the third and fifth innings. Then Joem's homer with one on in the seventh inning, put the winners in front again. However, in the last half of the seventh inning, the Simons evened the count once more, only to have the Typewriter sluggers put across the winning tally in the eighth inning. The score:

L. A. TYPEWRITER	AB	R	H	O	A	SIMON BRICK CO.	AB	R	H	O	A
George,ss	[illegible]					Vasquez,2b	[illegible]				
L. Sand'n,lf						Garcia,1b					
Joem,1b						Gonzales,3b					
Angel,c						Navarro,lf					
H.Sad'n,rf						Rubio,c					
Ortez,3b						Martinez,rf					
Alfred,cf						Paul,cf					
Goldst'n,2b						Quijado,ss					
Foley,p						Orturo,p					
Totals	40	8	12	27	12	Totals	39	7	12	27	16

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
L. A. Typewriter Co.	[illegible]									—8
Base hits	[illegible]									—12
Simon Brick Co.	[illegible]									—7
Base hits	[illegible]									—12

SUMMARY

Struck out—By Foley, 9; Orturo, 5. Bases on balls—Off Foley, 1; Orturo, 2. Home run—Joem. Three-base hit—Quijado. Two-base hits—George, Orturo. Double play—George to Goldstein to Joem. Time of game—1h. 30m. Umpire—Lewis.

Motor Cop Is Easy Victor on Tijuana Track

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 23.—Motor Cop, one of the consistent winners of the Irwin string in other days, came to life today and won the eighth race by more than four lengths. In so doing the grand old sprinter equalled the track record for the distance, negotiating the 4½ furlongs in :53 3-5.

Madrono caused a mild sensation in the opener, coming with a great burst of speed from almost last position to finish second to Just Right and paying a substantial sum in so doing.

The feature race saw Bullet Proof take first money, with Catherine Marrone second and the redoubtable Blind Baggage third.

Jockey Barnes piloted two winners, Cannon Shot, in the third and Lady Astor, in the fourth. Results:

First race; mile and seventy yards: Just Right, (Creery,) won; Madrono (Barnes,) second; Philip Lugo (Lavine,) third. Time, 1:46 3-5.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs—Dr. Johnson (Long,) won; Dan Hogan (Denny,) second; Hillsdale (Doyle,) third. Time, 1:08 2-5.

Third race, one mile—Cannon Shot (Beers,) won; Cherokee Lee (Thurber,) second; Rock Heather (Weinert,) third. Time, 1:39 2-5.

Fourth race, mile and one-sixteenth—Lady Astor (Barnes,) won; All Over (Cantrell,) second; Billy Star (Boganowski,) third. Time, 1:52 3-5.

Fifth race, six furlongs—Arctic King (Lavine,) won; Grayson (Kennedy,) second; Tooters (Clark,) third. Time, 1:13 3-5.

Sixth race, five and one-half furlongs—Bullet Proof (Sharp,) won; Catherine Marrone (Mein,) second; Blind Baggage (Cantrell,) third. Time, 1:08 3-5.

Seventh race, six furlongs—The Almoner (Martinez,) won; Lisette (Doyle,) second; Spread Eagle (Lavine,) third. Time, 1:13 2-5.

Eighth race, four and one-half furlongs—Motor Cop (Clark,) won; Caveat Emptor (Kennedy,) second; Honest George (Boganowski,) third. Time, 0:53 3-5.

AMATEUR SPORT BODY MEETS THIS MONTH

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The annual meeting of the National Amateur Athletic Federation of America was called today by President Henry Breckinridge, former Assistant Secretary of War, for December 31, here. Action will be taken on the admission of new district federations, including Southern California and the Tacoma district of Washington State.

ART SHOPPE OUTFIT CAPTURES FROM CUBS

A concentrated batting attack in the final innings gave the Vernon Park Art Shoppe nine an 8-to-5 victory over the Whiting Mead Cubs in a City League game played yesterday at Salt Lake Playgrounds. "Rusty" Stogsdill, on the mound for the winners, was in rare form and allowed the Cubs but two hits, both coming in the first inning. Errors accounted for the Cubs' other three runs.

Whiting Mead took the lead in the opening frame by running over three runs. The Art Shoppers put over two tallies in the second, but the Cubs added another run to their string in the third. By scoring one run in each of the fifth and sixth frames the Art Shoppers tied the count, and in the seventh they put across three more and cinched the game. Calvin and Siegle each got two hits, one of the latter's being a home run. Score:

VERNON PARK ART SHOP	A	R	H	O	A	WHITING-MEAD CUBS	A	R	H	O	A
Stevens,ss	[illegible]					Molliter,2b	[illegible]				
C.S'dill,1b						Lawson,ss					
Calvin,2b						Gould,lf					
Angel,c						G.How'd,rf					
Siegle,3b						Harris,3b					
Martin,lf						A.How'd,cf					
Vick,cf						Pico,c					
Fellis,rf						Holder,1b					
R.S'dill,p						Hansen,p					
Totals	36	8	10	27	9	Totals	30	5	2	27	14

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Vernon Park Art Shop	[illegible]									—8
Base hits	[illegible]									—10
Whiting-Mead	[illegible]									—5
Base hits	[illegible]									—2

SUMMARY

Errors—Stevens, C. Stogsdill, Angel, Siegle, Fellis, R. Stogsdill, Harris, 2. Innings pitched—By R. Stogsdill 9; Hansen 9. Credit victory to R. Stogsdill. Charge defeat to Hansen. Struck out—By R. Stogsdill 12; Hansen 7. Bases on balls—Off R. Stogsdill 3; Hansen 6. Hit by pitched ball—Molliter. Stolen bases—Calvin, Stevens, A. Howard. Home run—Siegle. Two-base hit—Fellis. Double play—Vick to Stevens. Time of game—1hr. 45min. Umpires—Mike and Hansen.

EAST SEVENTH-STREET MERCHANTS CLEAN UP

Clayman's hard hitting and Rule's effective pitching gave the East Seventh-street Merchants a 9-to-4 victory over San Gabriel yesterday in a game played on the losers' diamond. Clayman crashed out a home run and a triple in four times at bat and was largely responsible for the major portion of the Merchants' runs, while Rule held the San Gabriel outfit to a lone run and four scattered hits up until the ninth when he eased up and was touched for a trio of tallies. Rule also did a little nifty stick work, getting a pair of doubles out of two times at bat. Grayson and Sikes also hit well, while Worth's fielding at shortstop for the winners featured. The score:

EAST 7TH ST. MERCHANTS	A	R	H	O	A	SAN GABRIEL	A	R	H	O	A
Grayson,1b	4	1	2	11	1	Bourke,lf	4	1	1	2	0
Sikes,cf	4	1	2	2	0	Atkins,cf	4	1	1	3	0
Worth,ss	2	0	0	3	3	Hanson,ss	4	0	1	3	3
Alberts,lf	4	1	1	2	0	Jackson,rf	4	1	1	0	0
Rolph,2b	3	2	1	1	2	Spears,p	4	1	1	1	1
Johnston,3b	4	1	1	2	2	D.Rich,2b	3	0	0	2	3
Clayman,rf	4	1	2	1	0	L.Rich,c	3	0	1	4	2
Loden,c	3	1	1	5	0	Johnson,3b	3	0	1	2	2
Rule,p	2	1	2	0	1	Hayward,1b	3	0	1	10	1
Totals	30	9	12	27	10	Totals	33	4	8	27	10

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
E. 7th St. Merchants	[illegible]									—9
Base hits	[illegible]									—12
San Gabriel	[illegible]									—4
Base hits	[illegible]									—8

SUMMARY

Error—Jackson. Innings pitched—By Rule 9; Spears 9. Credit victory to Rule. Charge defeat to Spears. Struck out—By Rule 4; Spears 2. Bases on balls—Off Spears 1. Hit by pitched ball — Rule by Spears. Stolen bases—Sikes, Worth, Rule. Home run—Clayman. Three-base hit—Clayman. Two-base hits—Rule, 2; L. Richards. Sacrifice hit—Worth. Double plays—Johnston to Worth to Grayson; Rolph to Worth; Hanson to Hayward. Time of game—2hrs. 5min. Umpire—Smalley.

GRANGE COPS TITLE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Felix Grange last night won the 18.2 French billiard championship, defeating Edmund Derbier.

BARRY HATTERS DEFEAT COLTON

Centrals Walloped Easily by 13-to-1 Score

Trautwein Allows Losers Only Three Hits

Dannind and Duarte Drive Out Home Runs

"Moose" Trautwein let the Colton Centrals down with three hits and the Barry's Classy Hats nine thumped the Colton squad, 13 to 1, in a lop-sided game played yesterday at Ubertia Springs. Both Colton pitchers, Cruz and Kimble, were socked hard and plenty, seventeen bingles being collected off them.

The game was called at the end of the seventh inning because of darkness. Ike Danning, Barry Hatter shortstop, had a field day at bat, getting a home run and two doubles in five times at bat. Duarte got a homer and two singles, while Trautwein hit two doubles and a single.

Casterena, Colton first sacker, had a soft day in fielding, getting only one putout, an unusual occurrence. The Hatters scored three in the fourth, five in the fifth and topped off the game with four more runs in the seventh. The score:

BARRY'S CLASSY HATS	A	R	H	O	A	COLTON CENTRALS	A	R	H	O	A
Danning,ss	5	1	3	2	1	Sites,lf	[illegible]				
Smith,2b	5	0	1	2	5	Lopez,ss					
Bates,rf	4	1	2	0	0	Cas'rena,1b					
Duarte,lf	3	3	3	2	0	Myers,cf					
Crain,cf	4	2	1	0	0	M'thez,3b					
Riley,1b	4	0	1	8	0	Rosen,rf					
Cable,3b	4	2	2	1	2	Garcia,2b					
Casey,c	4	2	1	7	0	Arrion,c					
T'wein,p	4	2	3	0	2	Cruz,p					
						Kimble,p					
Totals	39	13	17	21	8	Totals	23	1	3	21	1

Game called in 7th, darkness.

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Barry's Classy Hats	0	0	0	3	5	1	4	—13
Base hits	[illegible]							—17
Colton Centrals	[illegible]							—1
Base hits	[illegible]							—3

SUMMARY

Errors—Danning, Riley, Garcia. Innings pitched—By Cruz 6 plus inning; Kimble 1. Charge defeat to Cruz. Struck out—By Cruz 6; Kimble 2; Trautwein 7. Bases on balls—Off Cruz 4; Kimble 1; Trautwein 2. Home runs—Danning, Duarte. Two-base hits—Danning, 2; Trautwein, 2; Cruz. Time of game—2hrs. 5min. Umpires—O'Brien and King.

Vernon Wizards Hand Walloping to Hercules Gas

The Vernon Wizards prevented the Hercules Gas nine from cinching the City League pennant by handling the league-leaders a 13-to-4 trimming yesterday at Maier Park.

The Wizards biffed the offerings of Kirby, Hercules Gas hurler, all over the lot and sewed up the game in the first three innings by collecting eight runs. Coulter pitched a good game for the winners, and although hit hard he managed to settle down in the pinches. Thompson, Zulch, Berry and Coulter hit hard for the winners, while Killio, F. Epling, Korby and E. Epling did the best stick work for the losers. The score:

VERNON WIZARDS	AB	R	H	O	A	HERCULES GASOLINE	AB	R	H	O	A
Th'pson,cf	4	2	2	0	1	Dillio,ss	[illegible]				
Layne,3b	[illegible]					F.Epl'g,3b					
Zulch,rf						Morgan,cf					
Marvin,1b						Wiley,c					
Smith,lf						H.Epl'g,1b					
Johnson,2b						Hull,lf					
B'rnley,ss						Beers,rf					
Berry,c						Barrera,2b					
Coulter,p						Kirby,p					
Epling,ss											
Totals	42	13	13	27	8	Totals	35	4	10	27	14

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Vernon Wizards	[illegible]									—13
Base hits	[illegible]									—12
Hercules Gas	[illegible]									—4
Base hits	[illegible]									—10

SUMMARY

Innings pitched—By Kirby 9; Coulter 9. Credit victory to Coulter. Charge defeat to Kirby. Struck out—By Kirby 7; Coulter 13. Bases on balls—Off Kirby, Layne; off Coulter, F. Epling. Stolen bases—F. Epling, 2; Morgan, 2; Dillio, 2; Zulch, Layne, Coulter. Three-base hit—Berry. Two-base hits—Hull, Wiley, F. Epling, H. Epling, Thompson, Zulch, Kirby. Sacrifice hits—Thompson, Marvin. Time of game—1hr. 45min.

Rowing Rules Will be Fixed by Committee

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The rowing commission of the French Olympic Committee has completed its plans and rules for the rowing events of the games. Seats for 4000 persons will be erected at the finish of the course at Argenteuil, over which all the crews will row. The judges' stand will be on a float in the middle of the river and will be anchored so that it always will be on a line with the finish.

In addition there will be a battery of cameras on the float so that every shell will be photographed as it crosses the finish line. This is to make certain that the winner of the event is credited with the victory instead of having to be content with a dead heat, which often results when the eye alone is trusted with determining the finish of a race.

At stated points along the course, 500, 1000 and 1500 meters, other judges' floats will be moored, and on each will be a telephone so that the officials at the finish of the race can post on a large bulletin board the progress of each crew during the race. These figures will be official for the distances they show. A telephone will connect the judges' stand at the finish line with the final official headquarters of the games, which will be on land. The press float will be adjacent to the officials' float, but no one except judges and officials will be permitted on the latter float.

Extensive arrangements have been planned for the comfort and well-being of the oarsmen. Medical attendants will follow each race, and there will be a hospital near the finish line. Medical attendants also will be on a float near the finish, and a motorboat will be available for them at all times. Shower bathrooms will be at the start and finish of the course.

The smooth fox terrier, Champion Wrose Indelible, a litter brother to Champion Cromwell Miss Legacy, sold recently for $2000 to the Maharajah of Pithapuram, has been acquired by Dr. Rosslyn Bruce, rector of Hurstmonceaux, Sussex, England for $1500.

BEST BAFFLES WHITE KINGS

Soapsters Saved From Shut-out by Thomas's Homer

Anaheim Southpaw Allows but Trio of Bingles

Ramage's Circuit Swat Ruins Pitching Battle

Cliff Best, Boston Red Sox southpaw, who pitched for the Anaheim Merchants yesterday, bested the White King Soaps easily and Anaheim took a 5-to-1 victory in a game played on its own diamond before a fairly large crowd. Best allowed but three scattered hits, one a home run by Chet Thomas, and had the better of a mound argument with Elmer Meyers, lanky Salt Lake hurler, who chucked for the White Kings.

Meyers had but one bad inning, the third, but that was one too many, for the Anaheim Merchants bunched six hits, including a home run by Ramage, with one man on, and slugged in four runs before put out. Meyers fanned six men, while Best whiffed ten.

The Merchants landed on Meyers for their four runs in the third inning and were never in danger of losing their lead, with Best going like a million dollars. Thomas managed to get hold of one of Best's offerings in the fourth inning and knocked the ball out of the lot for the Soapster's only run. In the second inning Gomes hit a triple, but Best tightened up and that was that. After Thomas's circuit swat, Best did not allow a hit. McDowell scored the Merchants' final run in the fifth inning.

The fielding of Gomes for the White Kings and of Bush for Managed Vic Ruedy's club featured. By their victory yesterday, the Merchants broke the White Kings' long winning streak. "Beans" Reardon umpired. The score:

WHITE KING SOAP	AB	R	H	O	A	ANAHEIM MERCH'S	AB	R	H	O	A
McAly's,2b	[illegible]					Bundy,lf	[illegible]				
Hesse,cf						Pend's'n,2b					
Klepsig,ss						O'Reilly,cf					
Gomes,lf						Ramage,1b					
Thomas,c						McDow'l,3b					
B'son,1b						Bush,ss					
Falk,rf						Makin,rf					
Jones,3b						Cullen,c					
Meyers,p						Best,p					
Totals	31	1	3	24	12	Totals	30	5	9	27	9

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
White Kings	[illegible]									—1
Base hits	[illegible]									—3
Anaheim Merchants	[illegible]									—5
Base hits	[illegible]									—9

SUMMARY

Errors—Falk, O'Reilly, Bush. Struck out—By Meyers, 6; Best, 10. Bases on balls—Off Meyers, 3; Best, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Best, by Meyers. Home run—Ramage. Three-base hits—Makin, Gomes. Sacrifice hits—Pendleton, Bush. Time of game—1h. 35m. Umpire—"Beans" Reardon.

Glendora in Victory Over Hill Outfit

The Hill Athletic Club squad gave the Glendora nine an awful scare yesterday in an exciting game played on the Glendora lot, but was nosed out, 5 to 4, after a mound duel between Brumfield and "Smiles" Lewis. Both pitchers allowed but seven hits. Up to yesterday the Hill A. C. had won five straight.

The Hill A. C. took the lead by scoring a run in the first inning, but the Glendoras went to the front by counting one in each the second, fourth and seventh frames. In the eighth inning the Hill sluggers bunched four hits off Brumfield and scored three runs and took the lead. But the home team came back in their half of the eighth inning and put over the necessary two tallies to cop the struggle.

Guter hit a home run for the winners, while Lugo got two triples and a single in four times at bat for Glendora. Ordoqui and Mack hit well for the losers, while Sigler's fielding featured. The score:

HILL A. C.	AB	R	H	O	A	GLENDORA	A	R	H	O	A
Peto,2b	[illegible]					Young,3b	[illegible]				
White,rf						Nichols,ss					
Sigler,ss						Pontius,lf					
Dodge,lf						Meyers,3b					
Ordoqui,cf						Lugo,1b					
Mack,3b						Hall,cf					
Campisi,1b						Phillips,rf					
Schn'der,c						Guter,c					
Lewis,p						Brumfield,p					
Carmona,rf											
Totals	33	4	7	24	12	Totals	31	5	7	27	9

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Hill A. C.	[illegible]									—4
Base hits	[illegible]									—7
Glendora	[illegible]									—5
Base hits	[illegible]									—7

Errors—Peto, Carmona, Lugo, Nichols, Young. Struck out—By Brumfield 13; Lewis 3. Bases on balls—Off Brumfield 7; Lewis 3. Home run—Guter. Three-base hits—Lugo, 2. Two-base hits—Hall, Dodge, Lugo. Double play—Lewis to Campisi.

PASADENA LEGION WINS CASABA TILT

Pasadena's American Legion team won a close basketball game from the Santa Monica quintet on the Pasadena Y.M.C.A. floor Saturday night, 27 to 24. At the end of the first half Santa Monica led, 13 to 12, but brilliant shooting on the part of McMillan and Laurenson overcame the advantage. Line-ups:

Santa Monica.		Pasadena.
Wingard (8)	F.	McMillan (2)
Badgro (4)	F.	Laurenson (15)
Rice (3)	C.	Steele (2)
Ott (4)	G.	Wallace (1)
Henderson (1)	G.	Sterrett
Betts (2)	F.	Phelps (6)
Gleason	G.	Grootzinger

LA HABRA SHUTS OUT ROSS SNYDER CROWD

La Habra blanked the Ross Snyder A. C. nine, 12 to 0, in a lop-sided game played yesterday on the winners' diamond. Moore, on the mound for the winners, allowed but three hits. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Ross Snyder A.C.	0	3	6
La Habra	12	9	0

Batteries — Hardman, Neppies and Woodward; Moore and Dunbar.

WINDSTORM STOPS IRVINE BALL GAME

A windstorm prevented the Hughes Ice Cream Company nine from playing against the Irvine Beanpickers at Irvine yesterday. The gale was so heavy that the players were unable to do anything on the diamond. The teams will probably play off the postponed game in the near future.

BABBITT

BY

SINCLAIR LEWIS

Even as Babbitt protested, "Oh, you know what a rotten dancer I am!" he was lumbering to his feet.

"I'll teach you. I can teach anybody."

Her eyes were moist, her voice was jagged with excitement. He was convinced that he had won her. He clasped her, conscious of her smooth warmth, and solemnly he circled in a heavy version of the one-step. He bumped into only one or two people. "Gosh, I'm not doing so bad; hittin' 'em up like a regular stage dancer!" he gloated, and she answered busily, "Yes—yes—I told you I could teach anybody—don't take such long steps!"

For a moment he was robbed of confidence; with tearful concentration he sought to keep time to the music. But he was enveloped again by her enchantment. "She's got to like me; I'll make her!" he vowed. He tried to kiss the lock beside her ear. She mechanically moved her head to avoid it, and mechanically she murmured, "Don't!"

For a moment he hated her, but after the moment he was as urgent as ever. He danced with Mrs. Orville Jones, but he watched Louetta swooping down the length of the room with her husband. "Careful! You're getting foolish!" he cautioned himself, the while he hopped and bent his solid knees in cadence with Mrs. Jones, and to that worthy lady remarked, "Gee, it's hot!" Without reason, he thought of Paul in that shadowy place where men never dance. "I'm crazy tonight; better go home," he worried, but he left Mrs. Jones and dashed to Louetta's lovely side, demanding, "The next is mine."

"Oh, I'm so hot; I'm not going to dance this one."

"Then," boldly, "come out and sit on the porch and get all nice and cool."

"Well—"

In the tender darkness, with the clamor in the house behind them, he resolutely took her hand. She squeezed his once, then relaxed.

"Louetta! I think you're the nicest thing I know!"

"Well, I think you're very nice."

"Do you? You got to like me! I'm so lonely!"

"Oh, you'll be all right when your wife comes home."

"No, I'm always lonely."

She clasped her hands under her chin, so that he dared not touch her. He sighed:

"When I feel punk and—" He was about to bring in the tragedy of Paul, but that was too sacred even for the diplomacy of love. "—when I get tired out at the office and everything, I like to look across the street and think of you. Do you know I dreamed of you, one time!"

"Was it a nice dream?"

"Lovely!"

"Oh, well, they say dreams go by opposites! Now I must run in."

She was on her feet.

"Oh, don't go in yet! Please, Louetta!"

"Yes, I must. Have to look out for my guests."

"Let 'em look out for 'emselves."

"I couldn't do that." She carelessly tapped his shoulder and slipped away.

But after two minutes of shamed and childish longing to sneak home he was snorting, "Certainly I wasn't trying to get chummy with her! Knew there was nothing doing, all the time!" and he ambled in to dance with Mrs. Orville Jones, and to avoid Louetta, virtuously and conspicuously.

CHAPTER XXIV

I

His visit to Paul was as unreal as his night of fog and questioning. Unseeing he went through prison corridors stinking of carbolic acid to a room lined with pale yellow settees pierced in rosettes, like the shoe-store benches he had known as a boy. The guard led in Paul. Above his uniform of linty gray, Paul's face was pale and without expression. He moved timorously in response to the guard's commands; he meekly pushed Babbitt's gifts of tobacco and magazines across the table to the guard for examination. He had nothing to say but "Oh, I'm getting used to it" and "I'm working in the tailor shop; the stuff hurts my fingers."

Babbitt knew that in this place of death Paul was already dead. And as he pondered on the train home something in his own self seemed to have died; a loyal and vigorous faith in the goodness of the world, a fear of public disfavor, a pride in success. He was glad that his wife was away. He admitted it without justifying it. He did not care.

II

Her card read "Mrs. Daniel Judique." Babbitt knew of her as the widow of a wholesale paper-dealer. She must have been 40 or 42, but he thought her younger when he saw her in the office, that afternoon. She had come to inquire about renting an apartment, and he took her away from the unskilled girl accountant. He was nervously attracted by her smartness. She was a slender woman, in a black Swiss frock dotted with white, a cool-looking graceful frock. A broad black hat shaded her face. Her eyes were lustrous, her soft chin of an agreeable plumpness, and her cheeks an even rose. Babbitt wondered afterward if she was made up, but no man living knew less of such arts.

She sat revolving her violet parasol. Her voice was appealing without being coy. "I wonder if you can help me?"

"Be delighted."

"I've looked everywhere and—I want a little flat, just a bedroom, or perhaps two, and sitting-room and kitchenette and bath, but I want one that really has some charm to it, not these dingy places or these new ones with terrible gaudy chandeliers. And I can't pay so dreadfully much. My name's Tanis Judique."

"I think maybe I've got just the thing for you. Would you like to chase around and look at it now?"

In the new Cavendish Apartments, Babbitt had a flat which he had been holding for Sidney Finkelstein, but at the thought of driving beside this agreeable woman he threw over his friend Finkelstein, and with a note of gallantry he proclaimed, "I'll let you see what I can do!"

He dusted the seat of the car for her, and twice he risked death in showing off his driving.

"You do know how to handle a car!" she said.

He liked her voice. There was, he thought, music in it and a hint of culture, not a bouncing giggle like Louetta Swanson's.

He boasted, "You know, there's a lot of these fellows that are so scared and drive so slow that they get in everybody's way. The safest driver is the fellow that knows how to handle his machine and yet isn't scared to speed up when it's necessary, don't you think so?"

"Oh, yes!"

"I bet you drive like a whiz."

"Oh, no—I mean—not really. Of course, we had a car—I mean, before my husband passed on—and I used to make believe drive it, but I don't think any woman ever learns to drive like a man."

"Well, now, there's some mighty good woman drivers."

"Oh, of course, these women that try to imitate men, and play golf and everything, and ruin their complexions and spoil their hands!"

"That's so. I never did like these mannish females."

"I mean—of course, I admire them, dreadfully, and I feel so weak and useless beside them."

"Oh, rats now! I bet you play the piano like a wiz."

"Oh, no—I mean—not really."

"Well, I'll bet you do!" He glanced at her smooth hands, her diamond and ruby rings. She caught the glance, snuggled her hands together with a kittenish curving of slim white fingers which delighted him, and yearned:

"I do love to play—I mean—I like to drum on the piano, but I haven't had any real training. Mr. Judique used to say I would've been a good pianist if I'd had any training, but then, I guess he was just flattering me."

"I'll bet he wasn't! I'll bet you've got temperament."

"Oh— Do you like music, Mr. Babbitt?"

"You bet I do! Only I don't know's I care so much for all this classical stuff."

"Oh, I do! I just love Chopin and all those."

"Do you honest? Well, of course, I go to lots of these highbrow concerts, but I do like a good jazz orchestra, right up on its toes, with the fellow that plays the bass fiddle spinning it around and beating it up with the bow."

"Oh, I know. I do love good dance music. I love to dance, don't you, Mr. Babbitt?"

"Sure, you bet. Not that I'm very darn good at it, though."

"Oh, I'm sure you are. You ought to let me teach you. I can teach anybody to dance."

"Would you give me a lesson, some time?"

"Indeed I would."

"Better be careful, or I'll be taking you up on that proposition. I'll be coming up to your flat and making you give me that lesson."

"Ye-es." She was not offended, but she was noncommittal. He warned himself, "Have some sense now, you chump! Don't go making a fool of yourself again!" and with loftiness he discoursed:

"I wish I could dance like some of these young fellows, but I'll tell you: I feel it's a man's place to take a full, you might say, a creative share in the world's work and mold conditions and have something to show for his life, don't you think so?"

"Oh, I do!"

"And so I have to sacrifice some of the things I might like to tackle, though I do, by golly, play about as good a game of golf as the next fellow!"

"Oh, I'm sure you do . . . Are you married?"

"Uh—yes . . . And, uh, of course official duties—I'm the vice-president of the Boosters' Club, and I'm running one of the committees of the State Association of Real Estate Boards, and that means a lot of work and responsibility—and practically no gratitude for it."

"Oh, I know! Public men never do get proper credit."

They looked at each other with a high degree of mutual respect, and at the Cavendish Apartments he helped her out in a courtly manner, waved his hand at the house as though he were presenting it to her, and ponderously ordered the elevator boy to "hustle and get the keys." She stood close to him in the elevator, and he was stirred but cautious.

It was a pretty flat, of white woodwork and soft blue walls. Mrs. Judique gushed with pleasure as she agreed to take it, and as they walked down the hall to the elevator she touched his sleeve, caroling, "Oh, I'm so glad I went to you! It's such a privilege to meet a man who really understands. Oh! The flats some people have showed me!"

He had a sharp instinctive belief that he could put his arm around her, but he rebuked himself and with excessive politeness he saw her to the car, drove her home. All the way back to his office he raged:

"Glad I had some sense for once. . . . Guess I wish I'd tried. She's a darling! a corker! A regular charmer! Lovely eyes and darling lips and that trim waist—never get sloppy, like some women. . . . No, no, no! She's a real cultured lady. One of the brightest little women I've met these many moons. Understands about Public Topics and— But, darn it, why didn't I try? . . . Tanis!"

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Approximately thirty expert ski jumpers will take part in the tryouts at Minneapolis December 30, and January 1. Four of the cleverest and four substitutes will be selected as members of the United States ski team to go to Chamonix, France, for the winter sports festival, January 25 to February 5.

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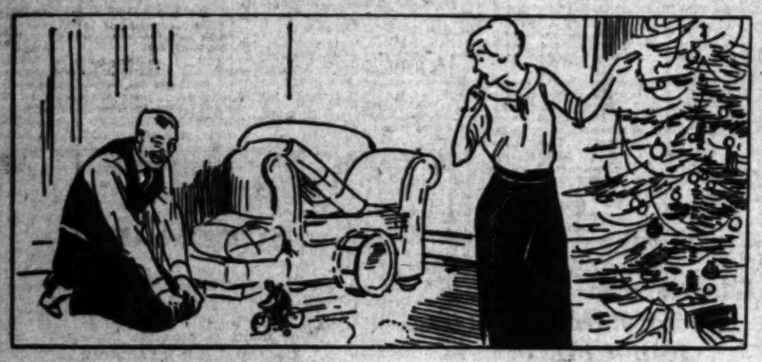

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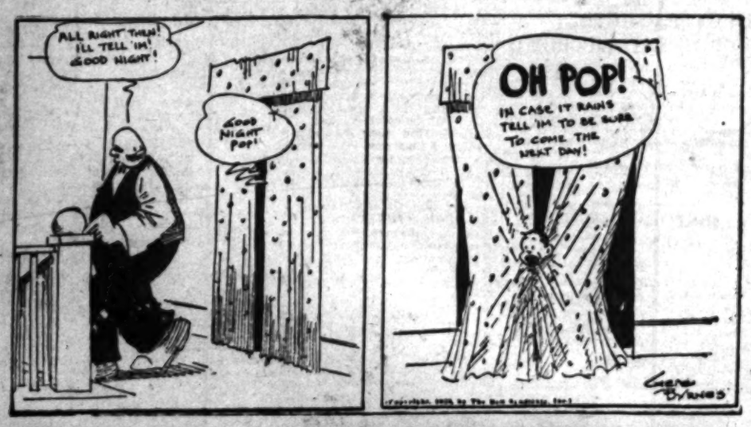

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HAROLD TEEN—KEEPING SANTA AWAY

Activities

RARE MINERALS, METALLURGY, CHEMISTRY

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PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 3.—Question: Under separate cover I am sending you samples of two different kinds of ore. Will you kindly give me a report on them? Nos. 1 and 2. M.

Answer: Sample No. 1 is chiefly iron and aluminum carnetyte with hornblende. The metallic luster is microscopic particles of the rock are of titaniferous iron oxides—including magnetite. No. 1 is on the order of No. 1 but is more altered. The greenish matter is not of uranium, as it appears to be fuchsite (chromic mica.) It would not be surprising if concentrates from two grade of No. 1 specimen would contain platinum.

Black Sand

CULIACAN, SINALOA (Mex.) Dec. 1.—Q.: I send you by express for tests and classification. D.

A: There are bare traces of gold in the sample. Magnetite shows up with 73 per cent, by bulk of the mixture. Ilmenite (titaniferous iron) in good proportion. Quartz, feldspar and mica not found. Platinum absent.

Clay

WEEDLES, Dec. 4.—Q.: I am sending you herewith a few ounces of some kind of clay. What is it? I am a regular subscriber to The Times. BARBAR.

A: Aluminum silicate, iron oxide, lime carbonate, silica and mica, more or less found in the clay. Available potash (water soluble) present; approximately 1.10 per cent.

Mercury Present

CAINEVILLE (Utah) Dec. 3.—Question: The two mineral samples I am sending you are supposed to contain mercury or tin. The ledge is near this town. PITT.

A: Sample No. 1 is from a very narrow streak. At sight it resembles a grayish rock spotted with iron-manganese oxides.

The chemical fact is that these ores are selenide of mercury, and known mineralogically as Onofrite. The spotted coating resembles gray copper ore of the mining boys in the hills. When pure onofrite carries 24.05 per cent selenium with 72.26 per cent mercury; low in quartz, and sulphur traces. Before the blowpipe, on charcoal, the sample gives the odor of selenium (horseradish odor,) and mixed with soda and heated, yields metallic mercury.

No. 2 is a very low grade and very much altered claylike mineral carrying quite a per cent of iron oxides. It is a dark-purple powder and reacts for more or less tin. Hepatic cinnabar is present in very low percentage. The samples do not react for tin.

Concentrates

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 3.—Q.: I am assaying some concentrates washed from sand and taken from the bed of a river in the northern part of California. There is quite a large amount of this stuff there and the sample looks very good to me. Kindly give the same your usual attention which will be greatly appreciated. S.

A: Under the microscope the sample shows some very interesting minerals. Magnetite is present to 12 per cent, with 15.50 per cent microscopic garnet; both of the named substances noted by assay. This garnet if separated would be a marketable product. If the magnetite should be saleable if separated by the magnet. Chromiferous iron is present with traces of chromite, quartz, and about 5 per cent of Monazite sand.

Impure Calcite

LANCASTER, Dec. 6.—Q.: The two samples are from twenty miles south of Willow Springs. H.

A: And both of them contain lime carbonate. No. 1 is impure limestone rock carrying crystals of pyrite as coating on one side; iron pyrite and pegmatyte present. Also uranium in low percentage. The other sample is probably an impure calciferous pegmatyte, showing potash mica (muscovite) and some feldspar. There are traces of lead and zinc in both samples and free gold is absent.

Corrosite

LAWA, Dec. 7.—Q.: I send you under separate cover samples of ore for your opinion. I cannot determine what class of ore these samples belong. They do not seem to carry much lead and as a silver ore I cannot name it. With them I send a chip of the mineral on which I have used the blowpipe. I now believe from results, that the samples represent good ore. "SUBSCRIBER."

A: What's the slang phrase related to "You should worry?" Be sure! The samples are good lead carbonates.

Sand Rock

BEVERLY HILLS, Dec. 8.—Q.: I am sending you a small sample of sand rock from near Casper, Wyo. Please test for platinum and iridium. L.

A: We cannot obtain a reaction for iridium from the small specimen. For platinum, and by a colorimetrical test the reaction is also negative. Similar material should receive a different treatment to get best results. Some ten pounds of the ore of the mineral ought to be powdered and panned and the resulting concentrates then submitted to analysis.

Free Gold Dust

HEMET, Dec. 3.—Q.: Samples No. 1 and 2 are from near Hemet. Is there gold and silver. G.

A: Both samples are quartzitic rocks carrying traces of pyrite and iron mica resembling gold. The rocks are stained with hematite. There are no silver values, if any, present in assayers.

Prospector's Sample

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 8.—Q.: I have a sample sent to me by a prospector asking for a complete chemical analysis. Has it a commercial value? T. R.

A: Correspondents should bear

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Sand Rock

[BEVE]RLY HILLS, Dec. 8.—Q.: [I am] sending you a small sample [of] sand rock from near Casper, [Wyo.] Please test for platinum [...]. L.

[A.]: We cannot obtain a reaction [for platinum] from the small speci[men] [...] for platinum, and by a [...] test, the reaction is also [...]. Similar material should [be] [...] different treatment to get [...] results. Some ten pounds [...] of the mineral ought to [be] crushed and panned and the [...] concentrates then sub[mitted] [...] analysis.

Free Gold Dust

[...], Dec. 8.—Q.: Samples [...] I are from near Hemet. [...] gold and silver. G.

[A.]: [...] samples are quartzitic [...] traces of pyrite and [...] mica resembling gold. [...] are stained with hema[tite] [...] silver values, if any, [...] assayers.

[...]'s Sample

[LOS] ANGELES, Dec. 8.—Q.: [...] sample sent to me by a [...] asking for a complete [analysis]. Has it a com[mercial value]? T. R.

[A.]: Correspondents should bear in mind that a complete chemical analysis equals a quantitative one, and that is but seldom given by this department of The Times. Our work is qualitative. The sample is either an impure diatomaceous earth or a highly silicious volcanic ash. Offer samples to manufacturers of automobile tires, and, also, to those engaged in the wall-filler industry.

Chiefly Lead Minerals

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 9.—Q.: Gold? Silver? Complete analysis. MRS. W.

A.: Qualitative analysis only. There is no free gold in the sample, and for other gold and silver values please consult assayer.

The sample reacts more or less for fahlerz and blends (zinc sulphide.) Galenite (lead sulphide,) Cerussite (lead carbonate,) lead molybdate, and lead oxide. Iron found.

Holiday Greetings

Yuletide greetings are extended to correspondents, patrons, and everybody—including our friends, the mining boys in the hills. This is our twentieth annual greeting.

In looking back through the past two decades, it is well remembered that the minerals of the Southwest were but little understood by mining men. There were comparatively few engineers of mining familiar with minerals, and this department was among the first to bring attention to the many salines; deposits of tungsten ores, those of the tetrahedrite group, the alums, ores of iron, chrome, baryte, lithium, copper, iron, vanadium, fuller's earth and "Tuffs;" sodium, potash and petroleum—not only in California, but throughout the West; north into Canada, and throughout Mexico—by special published reports.

WEEKLY STOCK RANGE

The Public Service Department of the Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles issues the following table of the range of prices on the New York Stock Exchange for the week ending December 22, together with the net changes as compared with the close of the preceding week. (+Gain. −Loss.)

	High.	Low.	Bid.	Net Change.
Adams Ex.	....	....	73¾	+ ¾
Adv. Rumley com.	8½	7½	8	......
Ajax Tire	6⅛	5⅝	5⅝	— 1
Alaska Juneau	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Allied C. & Dye	70¾	68½	68½	— 1½
Allis Chalm.	45	43½	44⅛	— ¾
Do. pfd.	92½	91⅝	90	— 1½
Am. Agr. Chem.	13½	11⅝	12⅛	......
Am. Beet S.	42⅝	41⅝	41	— 1
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lehigh Valley	61	59⅝	60	— ½
Lig. & Myers	238	230	237	+ 12
Lima Loco.	66⅝	64	65½	— ⅝
Loew's, Inc.	18	16½	17	— ⅝
Loft Candy	7½	7	7	— ½
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Westinghouse Air Brake	88	82	83½	— 1½
Westinghouse El.	61⅝	59⅝	60⅝	— 1⅛
W. & L. E.	7½	6⅞	7⅛	+ ⅛
White Eagle Oil	26	24⅜	25½	......
White Motors	57⅞	55	54⅝	— 1⅝
White Oil	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Willys O.	10⅜	9⅜	10⅜	+ ⅜
Do. pfd.	81⅝	78	80	+ 1⅝
Wilson Co. com.	24½	22	24	— ⅝
Wisconsin Central	35⅝	34⅝	34	— 2
Woolworth com.	280	275½	278	+ 2
Wor. Pump com.	26	24⅞	25	— ⅝
Youngstown Sht. & Tb.	68⅝	67⅝	67⅝	+ 1⅝

PETROLEUM PRICES

Gravity—	Oct. 9, 1923	April 10, 1923
14 to 19.9 degrees	.60	.60
20 to 20.9	.61	.61
21 to 21.9	.62	.63
22 to 22.9	.63	.65
23 to 23.9	.64	.68
24 to 24.9	.65	.71
25 to 25.9	.66	.74
26 to 26.9	.67	.77
27 to 27.9	.68	.80
28 to 28.9	.69	.83
29 to 29.9	.70	.86
30 to 30.9	.71	.89
31 to 31.9	.72	.92
32 to 32.9	.73	.95
33 to 33.9	.74	.98
34 to 34.9	.75	1.01
35 degrees and over	.76	1.04
Fuel oil, per bbl.		1.00
Gasoline, per gallon (Including State Tax)		.15
Kerosene, per gallon		.13½
Distillate, per gallon		.13½

UNION OIL DOMINANT PRODUCER

Shell Company Spuds in First Well Near Former's Rig

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

COMPTON, Dec. 23.—With five wells drilling and one producing, the Union Oil Company continues to be the principal operator in the new Compton oil field.

The Union's discovery well, Callender No. 1, is still maintaining its production of 1350 barrels per day of 30 gravity oil. This well has proven to be a model discovery well in every way. It was a comparatively shallow well, its production having begun at 1100 barrels, jumping to 1350 barrels, and holding to that mark steadily ever since.

In the drilling line the Union has three wells in the immediate vicinity of the discovery derrick, and two farther down in the flat country. The deepest hole is Callender No. 3, which is some 300 yards west of the discovery well, and which has been drilled to 3660 feet. Eighteen-inch casing is still being carried. The formation encountered is hard gray sand.

Carson No. 1, farther up on the hill from the Callender producer, is down 3511 feet in shale and shells. The well is rotating, eleven-inch casing being used. Directly across the road from the Callender No. 1 well is Hellman No. 1, which is rotating at 3565 feet.

In the flat country below the present producing area, the Union has two wells, Gardena No. 1 and Rosecrans No. 1. The former is down 3538 feet with eleven-inch casing and is rotating in gray sand. The Rosecrans well, located at One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Harbor Boulevard has reached a depth of 3247 feet, rotating in gray sand.

The Shell Company has just spudded in here its first well, on a lease adjoining that on which the Union producer is situated.

VISITOR TO CONVENTION HAS REPORT

Bakersfield Man Declares Industry Faces New Era of Prosperity

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 23.—Returning from the largest meeting of the American Petroleum Institute ever held, Tom McManus of this city, who is extensively interested in oil, reports that the great assembly of oilmen was characterized by prevailing optimism respecting a re-establishment of the oil industry on a sound economic basis.

This, declared McManus, was the predominant trend of thought at the convention of petroleum institute leaders which was in session for three days in St. Louis, beginning the 11th inst. Besides Mr. McManus, C. C. Sharpenberg, Walter Thompson and R. A. Bloomfield attended the assembly from Kern County.

In all, there were 1500 oil representatives at the meeting. From the Pacific Coast 100 visitors were present. President Thomas O'Donnell of the California Petroleum Corporation presided and was unanimously re-elected.

Of particular importance in discussion at the convention, according to McManus, was the need for stabilization of oil production.

Mr. McManus stated that every effort will be made by the institute to co-operate with the government in checking the promotion of unscrupulous stock dealers, whose yearly representations cost the nation millions of dollars in disastrous speculations.

Another advance made by the institute, declared the Bakersfield man, was the standardization of tools and oil field equipment used throughout the United States. Better grades of oil and gasoline also have been perfected, according to his report.

The meeting indicated that the oil fields of Kern county contain the greatest reserve supply in the world. With the return to normal conditions, McManus stated that Kern county would once more resume its leading position in production.

ORE VEIN PROMISING

Randsburg Monarch Rand Mine Reports Progress

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

RANDSBURG, Dec. 23.—Considerable interest is being manifested here in the announcement that the Monarch Rand Mine has struck exceptionally fine ore in its No. 3 shaft. A sample assayed $26 to the ton in gold. The strike was made in the south drift in what is known as the No. 2 vein.

While working this drift the miners are said to have encountered a cross vein which is believed to be the old G. B. lode. It was encountered about thirty feet east and the vein is about eight feet wide with no foot-wall yet disclosed.

The No. 3 vein in the Blue Bird shaft, owned by the same concern, is now in good ore, it was reported yesterday.

DRILLING RESUMED

Wasco Farmers Reaping Harvest On Oil Leases

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

WASCO, Dec. 23.—Drilling has been resumed on the Main Oil Company well near Wasco, after being held up by a cementing job. Wasco farmers are reaping a harvest from leases taken by various companies.

Approximately $60,000 annually is being divided among the ranchers who have leased land for oil development. Among the recent leases made were the farms of D. M. Herman, J. M. Crisman and John Ratzlaff.

HALF MOON BAY PROMISING

District Produces Good Grade Petroleum; High Hopes Entertained for Future

Whether or not the La Honda Oil Fields Association has discovered oil in commercial quantities in the Half Moon Bay district south of San Francisco, there is every possibility that the La Honda region will some day be the source of high gravity petroleum in considerable quantities, according to a number of petroleum geologists.

It is pointed out as a fact not generally known that there have been producing wells around Half Moon Bay for the past twenty years, and that there still are perhaps half a dozen wells pumping a few barrels of oil apiece and of such high quality that after the extraction of 75 per cent of gasoline, and 15 per cent of kerosene, there is so little residue that it is hardly enough to operate a still.

Originally there were about twenty wells placed on production on Purissima Creek, about ten miles northwest of the La Honda well. When these wells were brought in they flowed, in some cases, as much as 300 barrels a day of high-grade petroleum.

Most of them have since been abandoned, but several are still pumping, under the management of John Berger, and although their individual production is only a few barrels a day, the oil sold, prior to the recent cuts, at $7 per barrel, it is asserted. A still is operated by Berger at the wells.

PECULIARITIES NOTED

A peculiarity of these wells, according to geologists, is that they are not located on any well defined structure, but are producers from sand lenses in the intermediate shale of the Purissima formation. The theory generally accepted among geologists is that the diatomaceous shale, which lies between two sand strata, is interspersed with small bodies of sand, which have collected the oil from the surrounding shale, and being inclosed by impermeable walls, have retained it.

When wells have been drilled in this area, some have entered these sand lenses, and have obtained a small production, while others, drilled only a short distance away, have been dry holes. This is one of the reasons why oil has not been discovered over any considerable areas in the region about Half Moon Bay.

It is believed that the lower sand member of the Purissima formation may be impregnated with oil, and it is this strata which recent operations have been designed to penetrate. It is held by geologists that the Monterey formation, upon which the Purissima is superimposed, tilts upward immediately below the lower Purissima sand, so that any oil in the Monterey structure naturally would migrate to the lower Purissima sands.

FOLD DISCOVERED

Until recent years it was believed that there was no anticlinal structure in that region, but recent explorations have developed the fact that there is a distinct fold of the Purissima formation in the vicinity of Half Moon Bay, and it has been the theory of recent operators in this district, that a hole drilled on this fold will bring oil.

The La Honda well is only one of several wells which have been drilled in the Half Moon Bay region. A San Francisco syndicate headed by Gordon Hall, capitalist, and Dr. Guido E. Caglieri of the Bank of Italy is drilling its second well on a structure about eleven miles northwest of the La Honda, and only one mile from the Berger pumping wells on Purissima Creek.

The Hall-Caglieri No. 1 well was drilled about one and one-half miles south of the No. 2 well, but was designed to explore only the intermediate Purissima shale, and failed to get oil. The well went down 1600 feet, and at that depth was too small to be carried farther, and was abandoned. The No. 2 well is attempting to explore the lower Purissima sands.

OUTLOOK BRIGHT

According to F. A. Craise, who has examined the Half Moon Bay district for Los Angeles interests, the region has all the requisites of an oil field.

"There is an organic shale from which the oil is originally produced," says Mr. Craise. "There is a sand reservoir to act as a container, and finally there is a sealed structure to prevent its escape.

"I believe that the Half Moon Bay region will unquestionably become a producer of petroleum in considerable quantities. There probably will be no gusher fields such as have marked the development of the Los Angeles basin owing to the smallness of the structures in that district, but there are many structures in that general area which should, and some day probably will, be found to contain petroleum in commercial quantities.

"A feature that should not be overlooked is the fact that the oil in the Half Moon Bay area is of exceedingly high quality. This lends special significance to any production which is attained there."

MANAGER SELECTED

Chester H. Vanderlip Resident Hollywood Branch Man

W. A. Bonynge, president of the Commercial National Bank, has announced that Chester H. Vanderlip will be resident manager of the Hollywood office to be opened Monday, January 7, at Cherokee avenue and Hollywood Boulevard.

Cecil B. DeMille, recently elected vice-president of the Commercial National Bank, will be active in the supervision of Hollywood affairs of the Commercial National Bank. He will shortly announce the other local officers and the personnel of the advisory board to be associated with him.

DRILL RECORD MADE

Indications Are Favorable for Strike in Hovey Hills

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TAFT, Dec. 23.—Drilling 490 feet in four days is the record of Jack Ramsey on the No. 1 well of the Olympia Oil Company on section 36, 31-23, in the Hovey Hills district.

Blue shale is said to have been encountered the entire depth, with the indications that oil will be drilled into within the next couple of days. The well is now being cased off with a string of ten-inch pipe.

START WORK ON ST. ELMO CLAIM ANEW

Interest High in Old Gold Mines; Activity Continues to Grow

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

RANDSBURG, Dec. 23.—Several weeks ago specimens of quartz carrying gold were brought into camp. The prospectors did not care at the time to give out the location whence it was found. Later it was learned that they were under the impression that they had an option on the property, but a verbal option given to a local promoter had been overlooked. The prospectors had to bide their time. Now that the verbal option has run its limit, the story is out.

F. S. Earnest, a typical mining man, and his associates have obtained a lease on the St. Elmo group of six claims, located alongside the railroad track at Atolia. Work of getting the machinery and shaft in order is now under way.

From the 254-foot level an old cross-cut is out 268 feet. Surface showings for forty feet, lying between porphery and granite, carry gold stringers. From surveys made by Mr. Earnest he is confident that another twenty feet on cross-cut will bring results.

The St. Elmo in the early days of the Rand mining district was owned by the late Henry Borgwordt and members of the Kern county Sheriff's office. It was the real specimen mine of the Rand district, rose-colored quartz with wire gold running through it—jewelry ore in reality.

At the time of the finding of this rich rock the camp had made a record for its prospectors and claim owners wherein several of them had refused $50,000 cash for their individual claims. The late Charles D. Lane of mother-lode fame raised the ante to $75,000, but it did not appeal to the peace officers.

Since then the property has changed hands, run out for want of the annual work being done and sold for taxes. George W. McKewn, a successful handler of mining properties and interested in the ground, is looking after the new deal.

San Joaquin Output Put at Four Million

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 23. Crude oil production in the various fields of the San Joaquin Valley during November amounted to 4,065,196 barrels, according to figures compiled by the American Petroleum Institute. The daily average for November was 135,506 barrels as compared to 136,209 barrels for October.

The total production for the various fields for the month was divided as follows:

Midway-Sunset, 2,166,087 barrels; Elk Hills, 640,894; Coalinga, 513,179; Kern River, 437,970; McKittrick, 179,631; Lost Hills-Belridge, 110,137; Wheeler Ridge, 17,298.

During the month of November there were 5152 wells on the producing list divided as follows:

Midway-Sunset, 2079 wells; Kern River, 1771; Coalinga, 701; McKittrick, 284; Lost Hills-Belridge, 234; Elk Hills, 88; Wheeler Ridge, 5.

Fourteen wells were completed during the month with a total initial daily production of 2724 barrels. Nine new rigs were erected and there were seventy-seven wills being drilled, the report declares.

GULF OIL ACQUIRES EXPLORATION AREA

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23. — The Gulf Oil Corporation, through its subsidiary, the South American Gulf Oil Company, has completed its selection of the acreage of the Maracaibo Oil Exploration Company by taking in about 35,500 acres of the Maracaibo Exploration areas. This makes a total of 100,000 acres provided for under option. Under contract, the Gulf paid the Maracaibo people a cash bonus for 100,000 acres, and will do all of the development, Maracaibo retaining a royalty interest.

MINING FEVER GRIPS LOWER CALIFORNIA

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CALEXICO, Dec. 23. — Interest in gold mining in Lower California has been revived with the visit here of several geologists, asserted to be representatives of large mining companies. Prospectors, who have investigated the mountainous districts south of Mexicali, have frequently reported finding excellent prospects. For this reaso nthe presence of the geologists is believed here to have considerable significance.

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BORING RIG FOR TOCITO AT STATION

Gypsy Oil Company is Making Ready to Plumb Depths of Structure

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FARMINGTON (N.M.) Dec. 23. Material for drilling the first test well on the Tocito structure for which the Gypsy Oil Company paid $46,000 at the Indian lease auction sale, October 15, is now at the railroad station and will be moved to the well site at once.

The rig was shipped from Oklahoma and the other material from Wyoming. The camp houses are already up and water pipes have been laid so drilling can be started as soon as the rig is placed on the ground and erected.

The rig of the Producers & Refiners, which was on this structure, will be moved to Table Mesa, where a contract has been made to drill that structure for A. E. Carlton.

Carlton has furnished his bonds and they have been approved. Work will start as soon as the permit is received. It is also announced that the Producers & Refiners will drill the shiprock structure for the Metropolitan Oil Company.

More real oil operators are now in Farmington than have been at any other time since oil was first discovered here. A large number are from California fields seeking shallow production.

PROSPECT LAND SOLD

La Jolla Acreage Turned Over To San Diego Man

E. A. Edmonds, San Diego real estate dealer, and one of the investors in the Mission Valley oil well which, it is reported, may soon be placed upon production, has purchased twelve pueblo lots comprising 1250 acres of land east of La Jolla to the San Clemente and Rose Canyons, from the Cassen estate.

While no announcement has been made by the purchaser as to his plans, this particular tract was some years ago pronounced to be a part of the best oil territory in San Diego county.

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THIRTEEN NEW WELLS IN WEEK

Fail to Increase Santa Fe Daily Yield

Total Output is Now About 180,000 Barrels

Petroleum Midway Company Hole Flows 3000

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SANTA FE SPRINGS, Dec. 23. With the daily field total hovering around 180,000 barrels, thirteen new wells in the Santa Fe Springs field last week failed to increase the daily yield.

The wells placed on production ranged in size from 225 to 5000 barrels. The fact that two of the new producers were drilled but to the Bell sand made the week's activity an outstanding one. The gas pressure in the new wells reached a height of 400 pounds in several of the holes.

Test wells in the various extensions have not reached the stage where a test of their productivity can be made. The Oakridge Oil Company test in the western section is standing cemented, as are several others in that section. Nothing definite is known as to the possible worth of the Standard Oil Company's Sanchez well near Los Nietos. The Commercial Oil & Refining Company's test in the southeast section of the field is down 5226 feet and is drilling in hard sand which is streaked with oil-bearing shale, according to the drillers.

Preliminary tests of the Elliott Consolidated Oil Company's test well being drilled on the Clark lease seem to indicate that production may be found. The well is down 3204 feet and is standing cemented.

LARGEST WELL

The largest well of the week was drilled by the Petroleum Midway Company on the Wickman lease. This well went 4620 feet and produced 3000 barrels of oil the first day. The oil tests 33.4 deg. gravity. This company has been unusually successful in the Santa Fe Springs field.

The Amalgamated Oil Company placed its Dewenter No. 2 on production with a flow of 900 barrels. The oil tests 35 deg. gravity. The well was drilled 4695 feet. There are six other wells being drilled by this company in the field.

The Ambassador Oil Company drilled its final well on the Baker property when the No. 3 well was placed on production. This well after being drilled 4675 feet deep, produced 600 barrels of oil which tested 34 deg. gravity. The Baker lease was at once the site of a 10,000-barrel well drilled by this company.

TWO NEW WELLS

Two new wells were drilled by the General Petroleum Corporation, both on the Santa Fe Community lease. The No. 8 well was drilled 4700 feet deep and produced 825 barrels of oil which tested 32.2 deg. gravity. The No. 45 well was drilled 4702 feet deep and produced 1400 barrels of oil which tested 34 deg. gravity. There are eleven other General Petroleum wells drilling in this field.

Two wells drilled to the Bell sand became producers with a flow which surprised the drillers. The George F. Getty No. 17 is making 650 barrels of oil from a depth of 5479 feet. The oil tested 32 degrees gravity. The White Star Refining Company well No. 4 was drilled 3900 feet and made a flow of 800 barrels from the Bell zone. The oil in this well tested the same as the other Bell producer.

Drilling the last well to be drilled by that concern the Peterson Oil Syndicate placed its No. 2 well on production with an initial flow of 600 barrels. The well was drilled 4600 feet deep and the oil tested 34 degrees gravity.

THREE PRODUCERS

A trio of producers was placed on the list by the Shell Company, increasing the daily production of that company to about 13,000 barrels. The G.H.N. No. 9 well was drilled 4680 feet deep and made a flow of 600 barrels. The oil tested 33.4 degrees gravity. The Thompson No. 3 well after being drilled 4649 feet deep made a flow of 600 barrels. The oil tested 33 degrees gravity. Another slusher producer was added by the Shell Company, No. 6 having been placed on production. This well flowed 625 barrels of oil from 4670 feet and the oil tested 33 degrees gravity.

A well making 775 barrels of oil daily was drilled by the Standard Oil Company on the Santa Gertrudis lease. This well was drilled 4688 feet deep. The oil tested 32.6 degrees gravity.

Drilling on the Bell property, the Union Oil Company placed Bell No. 33 on production with a flow of 600 barrels. The oil tested 33 degrees gravity and the oil is flowing from a depth of 4665 feet.

NO WELLS STARTED

Although no new wells were started in the field during the week just ended, this is compensated for by the fact that no wells were listed for abandonment. Water shut-off permits totalled eleven during the week.

Several oil men have advanced the opinion that the present falling off of production in the Santa Fe springs high-gravity field is due to the fact that oil producers hesitate about letting their new wells produce at their natural rate during the present price depression; operators being willing to let the oil stay in the ground, and depending upon pumps being used when the price has advanced.

FIVE DRILLINGS ON MARICOPA PROGRAM

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MARICOPA, Dec. 23.—Five new wells are to be drilled on the New York lease of the North American Consolidated Oil Company near Maricopa, according to T. C. Mierluff, president, who was a recent visitor to the field. The property adjoins the Calitroleum Company's land on Section 4, 11-23. The two wells now on the property are to be repaired and put on production at once, it is said.

Most readers of love stories in England are women over 30 years of age.

OIL WELL WITH HIGH PRESSURE

One Thousand Pounds in Huntington Producer

Comes in During Week; Flows 600 Barrels

Daily Output in Field Now 65,399 Barrels

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 23. The big feature in the oil field here during the past week was the bringing in of the Petroleum Midway Brown No. 2 as a 600-barrel well with the enormous gas pressure of 1000 pounds at the casing head. This well is located east of the Southern Pacific Railroad track, near Hampshire avenue, between Oswego and Nashville streets, and is about fifty yards from Thompson No. 2, the Standard Oil's Thompson lease.

Thompson No. 2 came onto production July 6, 1923, and is making 200 barrels daily of 25 gravity oil at a depth of 3600 feet, while Browne No. 2 is 3700 feet deep and the gas pressure is 1000 pounds. It has an oil string of 202. There is no doubt but that this new well will be the cause of great activity in that section of the field as there are thousands of acres of leased land there which have not been drilled.

The next well of good size to come in was the Pacific Petroleum Company's No. 2, which was completed at 3477 feet and which landed the six and a quarter oil string at that point, cementing through perforations at 3955 feet. There are 522 feet of perforated casing in the oil string and the gauge shows a gas pressure of 250 pounds at the casing head. It is flowing 400 barrels of 22 gravity oil. This well is located on Alabama street, near Utica avenue, and is an offset to the Petroleum Midway Company's Barker No. 1 on the west side of the Southern Pacific tracks.

WELL IS A REDRILL

The Petroleum company brought in the O'Donnell No. 2 and placed it on the pump, making 150 barrels of 25 gravity oil at 4717 feet. This well is a redrill, having been placed on production August 3, 1922, and is now 681 feet deeper. The oil string contains 763 feet of screen casing and the gauge at the casing head registers 250 pounds. It is located on the Westminster Road and is an offset to Union Oil Company Copeland No. 7 and No. 21 on the north, and Miley Keck No. 19 on the south.

The production for the week has dropped considerably, due to the fact that several large wells have been taken off production. The daily field average was 65,399, against 70,054 last week, making a drop of 4655 barrels daily. The daily average per well dropped from 240 last week to 223; a loss of seventeen barrels.

The Petroleum Midway is building a rig or the Brown lease on Hampshire avenue on the south side of Quincy street and will be designated as Brown No. 3. It will be an offset to the Standard Oil Company Thompson No. 1.

NEWPORT BEACH

The Interstate Oil Company's No. 1 is idle at 3385 feet.

Newport Heights No. 1 is idle at 585 feet.

Long Beach Consolidated No. 1 is idle.

Newport Gas and Oil Company No. 1 is idle.

No. 2 is cleaning out.

The Macklin and Merideth O'Donnell Syndicate No. 1 is building rig. Boilers are also in place.

ANAHEIM

Standard Oil Company Wagner No. 1 is drilling at 2600 feet in hard sand.

ARTESIA

Artesia Oil Company No. 1 is idle at 4901 feet.

Challenge Trust Company is a rig.

Equitable Oil Syndicate is idle.

Hollywood Oil Syndicate No. 1 is a rig.

Julian Petroleum Corporation No. 1 is idle.

Report Issued on "Big Silver" Mine Progress

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

RANDSBURG, Dec. 23.—Charles S. Moroney, general manager of California Rand Silver, Inc., has issued the following report of the "Big Silver:"

"Development work advanced during week ending the 6th inst., as follows:

"Drifts 104 feet, raises thirty-two, and cross-cuts 111; a total of 247.

"The ore today opened a few days ago in crosscut and drift south from No. 6 shaft on the 700-foot level, looks promising for a fair-sized ore body. Values across and along the vein for a distance of twenty feet or more will average about $2.40 in gold and 60 ounces in silver. The extent of this deposit is as yet undetermined as no development has been made other than the crosscut and drift.

"While other headings in the mine have not opened up any new commercial ore, the conditions are favorable for mill-grade ore within the next week or ten days.

The 1400-foot crosscut from No. 2 shaft continues to produce about 15,000 gallons of water per day. Have passed through the water-bearing formation and do not anticipate any further increase in flow unless a new water stratum is encountered in future development.

"The mill has been operating at about a 50 per cent capacity during the month on account of shortage of water due to trouble at Goler wells.

"Concentrate shipments during this month to date have averaged a 40-ton car every two days."

AGED PIONEER DIES

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 23.—Charles M. Clark, 90 years of age, one of the last surviving pioneers of the men who settled Whitewater, died yesterday at the home of his son in Waukesha. Clark was a Vermonter and came to Wisconsin with his father, who settled at Whitewater.

NEW WELLS AT TORRANCE

Fifteen Producers Flow Near 15,000 Barrels; Daily Output Now About 47,000

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TORRANCE, Dec. 23.—Fifteen new wells were put on production in the Torrance field during the past week with a total flow of 14,700 barrels. The previous week eleven wells were brought in with an initial flush production of 13,000 barrels. The total number of producing wells in the field is now ninety. Counting the last two or three wells brought in too late to be included in the pipe-line runs, it is estimated that the daily output is approximately 47,000 barrels.

Despite the large number of new wells being put on production, the daily output is gaining slowly. At one time during the past week it was estimated that the production of the field had reached 50,000 barrels, but the slowing down of the new wells after the first few days of flush production dropped the output below that figure.

The best producers at the present time are being brought in in the north Lomita section. However, the output of the individual wells is being slowed down by close drilling, though up to the present time not to the extent that it has along the old Redondo-Long Beach road.

LARGE PRODUCERS

The following companies brought in 1000-barrel wells or better in the north Lomita district during the past week: White Star No. 1, at Pepper and Pennsylvania, 1400 barrels; U. S. Royalties No. 13, Pepper and Pennsylvania, 1500 barrels; Universal Consolidated, Moore No. 2 and No. 5, Pepper and Pennsylvania, 1300 and 1200 barrels, respectively; Ring Petroleum Corporation, Lomita No. 1, Acacia, east of Pennsylvania, 1200 barrels; Star Petroleum, G & A. No. 1, Palm, east of Pennsylvania; Securities Syndicate No. 2, Acacia, west of Narbonne, 1100 barrels; Murphill, No. 1, between Palm and Pepper, on Narbonne, 1500 barrels; Universal Consolidated Moore No. 3, 1250 barrels, Palm street just east of Pennsylvania avenue.

The extreme south side of the field will be given another test for production by T. J. Cannon's Julian No. 6 on a ten-acre lease on Cherry street, between Narbonne street and Pennsylvania avenue. While Mr. Cannon is the original lessee of this property, half of it has been turned over to Julian, who is helping finance the drilling of the first well. Julian No. 6 is two bocks south of the Federal Oil Company's Gerner No. 1, which came in at about 500 barrels sixty days ago and then sanded up. The Gerner well was smaller than expected in that territory and the low gravity, 19 degrees, caused a large number to believe that it was approaching the south side of the field. Mr. Cannon, however, declared that he was satisfied that the field would not stop abruptly and began drilling on the Cherry-street lease. Yesterday it was reported that a shut-off had been obtained in the well and, as the oil formation penetrated fifty feet below the shoe, which was set at 3800 feet, looked promising.

OFF PRODUCTION

The Gerner well is still off production, having been drilled too deep in an effort to drill farther in the oil sand. It was originally completed at 3760 feet and was drilled approximately 100 feet deeper. Some of the formation was reported to have produced excellent cores but the striking of water prevented the test for production. It is being plugged back.

The greatest new activity of the field is now centering in the district running four blocks east of Narbonne avenue, along Pine, Acacia and Palm street, and around the Standard's Dominguez No. 1 and Sentinel's Joughin No. 1. Fully a dozen new rigs were started during the past week east of Narbonne, and eight in the vicinity of the Standard and Sentinel wells. In the latter district the Shell now has four new rigs up, the Standard, two, and one under construction, the Sentinel, one, and E. J. Miley, one.

The Standard's Dominguez No. 1, which slowed down to about 700 barrels, while putting oil in the storage tanks 300 yards away, is now making 1000 barrels flowing in the sump. The oil is being pumped from the sump into the tanks. The Sentinel well is doing around 1300 barrels.

BIG SURPRISE

One of the biggest surprises in the Torrance field has been the showing in the wells along Arlington street between the old Redondo Road and Plaza Del Amo. This section, pointed to several months ago as being in the very heart of the big production, has fallen far below expectations. Of the two wells brought in up to date, the largest is the North American Consolidated Torrance No. 3, making 650 barrels. The other well, the U. S. Royalties's No. 11, is making less than 400 barrels. Two wells drilled by the North American in this section, and one by the Chanslor Canfield Midway have sanded up, and while they have shown considerable "kick" at times, it is not yet known what to expect from them.

About sixty days ago the Associated Oil Company, which had waited two years to get in the field took over an eighteen-acre lease from the Torrance Oil and Development Company, south of Plaza Delano and east of Arlington, and just prior to that, George F. Getty closed a deal with the Petroleum Company for thirteen acres adjoining the Associated lease on the south.

NEW PROBLEMS

The fact that the Standard and Sentinel wells, three-quarters of a mile east of Arlington street, are better than the two Arlington-street wells is giving the dopesters something new to flure out. To add to their problems, the North American Consolidated announces that it has drilled its Oakley No. 1, a mile east of the Sentinel well, to the depth at which it expects to complete the well, and that the cores from it are better than any of the cores taken out of the four Arlington-street wells drilled by the same company. The North American is setting a ten-inch water string in the Oakley well at 3500 feet; fifty feet shallower than the point at which the Standard's Dominguez No. 1 was cemented and 130 higher than where the Sentinel's Joughin No. 1 was cemented. The well has been cored to a depth of 3792 feet. While production is yet to be tested in this far-east well, the North American's field men say they will bring it in.

A half mile east of the Standard's Dominguez No. 1, the Shell's Keystone No. 1 last week was cemented at 3580 feet, only twenty-five feet deeper than where the Standard well was cemented. A much sharper dip was looked for in the structure than that. Approximately a mile east of the Shell well, the Keystone Syndicate last week set casing in its wildcat east of Harbor Boulevard and south of Wilmington street. The casing was landed at 3630 feet. While the crew and backers of this well are enthusiastic over the prospects for production, the majority of the operators in the Torrance field believe it is impossible for the field to have the area necessary to include the Harbor Boulevard well. The Keystone well would stretch the Torrance field out to a length of slightly more than six miles.

PUMPING TEST

A pumping test on the old Peterson-Barker well, a mile north of the Standard's Dominguez No. 1, now known as the R. K. Drilling Company No. 1, last week showed that a water shutoff has not yet been effected, but also demonstrated that the territory in which the well was drilled is capable of production. From the showing of the well the area betwen it and the Standard's Dominguez No. 1 is virtually proven to be oil territory. At times the R. K. well put out considerable heavy oil, free from water, and the gas pressure on the casing, once or twice reached 600 pounds, making it necessary to let the gas escape in order to continue the pumping operations. The water coming from the well is still carrying mud which was pumped into the well four months ago to hold it back while the oil string was being put in. R. W. Edens, who has taken over the well, looks for an improvement in the well as soon as the mud has been cleaned out of the oil sand.

ARIZONA IN FRONT ON ASBESTOS

California is Second of Seven Producing States in Country

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PHOENIX, Dec. 23.—In a late report of the Geological Survey covering the previous year, Edward Sampson lists, in order, Arizona, California, Georgia, Maryland, Oregon and Vermont as producers of asbestos in the United States. In this State for 1922, the producers were the Great View Asbestos Company, Kyle & Kasliot, Penn Asbestos Mines Company, Riga Asbestos Company, San Carlos Asbestos Mining Company and Triangle Asbestos Company, all operating in the region around Globe in Gila county.

Eighteen leases had been granted or claims had been approved for asbestos mining on the Fort Apache or San Carlos Indian reservations. Actual production was light during the year, this due to a drop in the price of Canadian asbestos. The Johns-Manville interests suspended operations at Chrysotile and the American Ores Asbestos Company dismantled its property in the Sierra Anchas northeast of Roosevelt.

Asbestos is found over a broad range of country in Gila county, usually high up on the edges of the plateaus, usually in almost inaccessible localities. It is believed that every pound of the material mined in Arizona has to be packed on mule back down to a road. Indians are employed to "cobb" extraneous rock from the asbestos at a cost of about 2 cents a pound.

Mining is in galleries that follow the flat seams, which may be single and only a couple of inches wide, in a hard gangue. Under such circumstances, production is decidedly expensive, coupled with the cost of truck transportation to the railroad at Globe or Rice and then transportation across the continent.

Arizona asbestos is of much higher grade than that from Canada and is much longer and purer, rarely with iron stain. In California, asbestos is found in Monterey, San Benito, Calaveras and Shasta counties, but little has been shipped.

LEASE TRANSFERRED

Sam Goldman & Sons Control Taft Holdings

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TAFT, Dec. 24.— Sam Goldman & Sons have taken over the property of the Fresno Five Oil Company on Section 36—32, 23, in the Hovey Hills district. The No. 1 well, which is nearly completed, is to be put on the beam shortly. Plans are being made to drill ten wells during the coming year.

The Fresno Five is regarded as one of the best located properties in Hovey Hills. The land was leased by E. Scott Smith and associates of Fresno and the Fresno Five Company was organized. Lack of capital to complete the well is asserted to have been the reason for the Fresno Five giving up its lease to Goldman & Sons.

PERSIAN LEASES TO SINCLAIR COMPANY

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

TEHERAN (Persia,) Dec. 23.—The Sinclair Oil Company has secured an oil concession in Northern Persia. This concludes a two years' fight between the Sinclair Company alone on one side and a combination of the Standard Oil Company and the British government on the other. The victory of the Sinclair Company is largely due to their representative here, Ralph Soper.

SIGNAL HILL'S DAILY AVERAGE

No Material Change for Week Reported

Notwithstanding Eleven New Wells Come In

Further Intimation of Gas Pressure Weakening

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Dec. 23. — In spite of the completion of eleven new wells and the return to production of two others in the Signal Hill field during the week ending yesterday, there was no material change in the daily average production. Flush production from the new wells totaled 11,300 barrels on the face of initial production reports but this yield was not actually made as several of the new wells flowed intermittently, six of them sanding up after short flows, and then resuming production.

The daily average yield of the field at the close of the week was about the same as that at the close of the preceding seven-day period.

There were but two "old time" producers included in the list of the week, these being the Petroleum Midway's field No. 6 and the Federal's Lightburn No. 1. Both came in after short periods of swabbing and flowed steadily at the rate of more than 1000 barrels apiece.

The two biggest wells of the week, from a production standpoint, the Union Community No. 10 and Pan-American Union Pacific No. 5, yielding 2100 and 2000 barrels, respectively, carried a warning to local operators in the manner in which they responded to production efforts.

Unsatisfactory flows marked the bailing efforts. Gas pressure was none too heavy to handle the mud and emulsion in the deep holes, despite considerable work by the crews. The wells turned out to be good producers, but they indicate an approach of the condition when gas pressure in the Signal Hill fields is not going to be sufficient to bring in wells from great depths, even in the good production areas, local operators assert.

There have been cases when wells that have been swabbing for an entire week failed to make satisfactory production. As an example, Melachrino No. 1, was formally declared as being in but was not actually brought to a steady flow for several days thereafter. Progressive Burnett No. 1-A was brought in after hard work and it then ceased to flow. It was brought back to production later. Herwick No. 11 is declared to be an unsatisfactory producer after a score of flows have been obtained. It is now credited with a 200-barrel flow. Even the Interstate Peck, located on the north edge of the field, which surprised company officials by flowing when only a pumper was expected, came to a stop and could be brought back to production only after strenuous efforts on the part of the crew.

New wells, classed as producers as the result of the week's efforts in the field are: Pan-American's Union Pacific No. 5, drilled to 5112 feet on the Union Pacific right of way near California avenue and Anderson street, flush production, 2000 barrels; Union Oil Company's L. B. Community N. 7, drilled to 4983 feet, located north of Burnett street and east of Cherry avenue on Towne avenue, flush production, 2100 barrels; Federal Drilling Company's Lightburn No. 1, drilled to 4669 feet, south of Willow street, between Kenyon and Grandview avenues, flush production, 1200 barrels; David & McMillan No. 6, drilled to 4911 feet, located at Temple avenue and Catalina street, flush production, 1500 barrels; Progressive Burnett No. 1-A, drilled to 4020 feet as skidded rig of No. 1, north of Burnett street and west of Walnut avenue, flush production, 500 barrels; Hub Security No. 1, drilled to 4050 feet at Center street and American avenue, flush production, 700 barrels.

Hackworth & Brunwin's Melachrino No. 1, drilled to 4800 feet, located on Atlantic avenue, south of Spring street, flush production, 700 barrels; Interstate Peck No. 1, drilled to 4508 feet, located on Peck street, near Walnut avenue, flush production, 300 barrels; Herwick No. 11, drilled to 4506 feet, located at Frankfort avenue and Pasadena avenue, flush production, 200 barrels; Black Gold Royalties No. 1, drilled to 4320 feet, located west of American avenue and north of Spring street, flush production, 250 barrels.

The United Oil Company returned Haas No. 4 to production with water shutoff and a flow of about 2000 barrels. Maier No. 1 resumed production after cleaning out. California Co-operative One No. 2, which was classed as a small producer, was put back on production with a yield of about 300 barrels.

RAISING OF SHAFT AIM OF WORKERS

Verde Central Assured of Ore Concentrates on the Endeavor

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

JEROME (Ariz.) Dec. 23.—Verde Central is concentrating on the raising of its working shaft and has stopped all development work except extension of its 1009 drift.

Work on the shaft will be by upraising from the 1000-foot and upper levels, while on the surface is being installed the big hoist to be transferred from the Gadsden property below Jerome. General Manager W. F. Staunton declares that all possible speed will be made with the shaft, which has become a necessity.

"We now know," he says, "that we have a mine, and we want to get it producing at the earliest possible date." The 1009 drift still is in good ore that appears to extend indefinitely, and the same is true of the parallel 1005 drift.

A cross-cut from the drift passed through fifty feet of ore averaging 7 per cent copper and then into copper-flecked black schist. Ore was constant in a 100-foot raise from the 1005. The showing in the cross-cut was responsible for shooting the stock up to $6.75, though it has settled around $5.50. The Calumet and Arizona interests bought their controlling share of the stock at 70 cents.

There is promise of diamond drilling early in the new year on the property of the American Copper Mining and Exploration Company in Yeager Canyon district, ten miles southwest of Jerome.

This information comes from Glenn M. Peterson of Los Angeles, consulting engineer, who was here a few days ago accompanied by James M. Arthur of Detroit, the company's eastern representative.

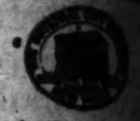
The property includes the well-known Human group. Belief is expressed that a part of the Jerome vein system, especially that of the Red Warrior fault, extends into the Yeager Canyon section, passing over the Black Hills divide near the crossing of the Prescott highway.

Giant Gasser Brings Union Office Change

Announcement was yesterday made by A. E. Fawkes, assistant director of exploration and production, Union Oil Company of California, that the intermountain field offices of the corporation, which have been located at Riverton, Wyo., have been changed to Fort Collins, Colo.

The change of headquarters was brought about through the bringing in of the giant gas well fourteen miles from Fort Collins. First brought in five weeks ago, this well is still gassing at a terrific rate, in addition to showing an oil flow of 500 barrels, per day.

Lemons unsuitable for fresh shipment in California, are now utilized to a large extent for the manufacture of citric acid and lemon oil.



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The City now has a distributing system covering nearly the entire city and should it obtain possession of this Corporation's system, it will have a monopoly of the entire electric business. The City is not able, in its aqueduct power plants, to generate sufficient current to supply its present consumers, and is purchasing a large amount of current from the Southern California Edison Company.

Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation is the pioneer in the electric business in this City and desires to be allowed to continue in fair competition in serving the City. For this reason and feeling also that the City will never be as well served by an unregulated monopoly as with competition, we are asking that the voters may have an opportunity to decide this matter for themselves.

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Tuxpan Oil Company, 306 shares, com., par value $100 per share.

This property will be sold as an entirety.

Before a person shall be entitled to bid he shall deposit with the undersigned at its office, 120 Broadway, New York City, N. Y., on or before 3 o'clock P. M. January 2nd, 1924, the sum of $8,000 cash.

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News of the Oil Wells and Their Products; Metal Mining and Petroleum

YEAR'S END AND TRADE MARKETS

No Important Occurrences Are Expected

Different Before Days of Federal Banks

Now There is No Strain at Money Centers

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The last week of the year is not likely to be a period of important occurrences in the financial world. Before the days of the Federal Reserve the week had certain traditions of its own, mostly based on experiences with the sudden strain on the New York money market which came with the year-end withdrawal of cash from bank reserves and the simultaneous exertion of bank labors for the year-end settlements."

Older Wall street men will not soon forget the last week of 1899 when the stock exchange call money rate went to 125 per cent and Jacob H. Schiff chilled the holiday rejoicing by his New Year message that unless the banking system was changed we will have such a panic in this country as will make all previous panics look like child's play.

CHANGED IN 1914

Since 1914 the system has been changed, and the year-end settlements nowadays go through smoothly. Even the 25 per cent rate of December 31, 1919, which reflected the abnormally low reserve percentage of 39 at the New York Federal Bank, merely reflected the movement of the preceding week's, and that is not likely to recur unless under similar abnormal circumstances.

With that old-time incubus removed, the last week of the year is apt to be of a good-humored holiday period.

Perhaps the spirit of the season is nowhere as visibly in evidence as in the financial district. Even Wall street probably has its "grouches," but they keep discreetly under cover. The only sign of even business activity is the taking of inventories by merchants and producers—a process which this year is itself somewhat helpful to Christmas cheerfulness. But the posting of books for the year-end brings about, on such occasions as this year-end, a more or less puzzled retrospect of the past year in finance and industry.

EXPLANATION SOUGHT

After all is said, even after allowing to the hopeful Wall street prophecies for 1924—the question is bound to be raised again: what is the explanation for the extraordinary change from the boom markets of last spring, the rising commodity prices, the high pressure of "forward orders," to the sudden and unmistakable reaction in the last half of the year, with its 20 per cent shrinkage in monthly steel and iron output, its [illegible] per cent decrease in the steel corporation's unfilled orders, and the 12 per cent average decline on stock exchange between spring and autumn?

The prevalent idea appears to be that bankers, merchants, investors and speculators scented danger in the extremely rapid expansion of March and April; that they were especially impressed with the warnings of "another 1920" with furious inflation and credit followed by disastrous collapse, and that they therefore deliberately called a halt.

California's Daily Oil Production

DISTRICT	Week ending Dec. 15 (Barrels)	No. of Wells	Week ending Dec. 22 (Barrels)	No. of Wells
Long Beach	230,000	284	220,000	286
Santa Fe Springs	1?0,000	277	150,000	279
Huntington Beach	65,000	228	68,000	230
Torrance	34,000	67	38,000	69
Compton	1,350	1	1,350	1
Balance of State	194,000	7750	194,000	7749
Total for State	714,350	8602	701,350	8614

DAILY MARKET LETTER OF THE NEW YORK COMMERCIAL

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Oranges, both Californias and Floridas were quoted higher at the close today and prices on Florida tangerines also showed an advance following a series of declines during the week. There will be no sales of fruits at auction on Monday, owing to the impossibility of getting them into distribution in time for the late Christmas trade.

DRIED FRUIT

Members of the local dried-fruit trade have been considerably interested in reports of Germany buying dried fruits on the Coast. A report which has just arrived from the Coast says: "We have been having quite a bit of business in California during the past ten days from Europe, especially Germany. There has been a very big business done in prunes the past ten days or two weeks and a large part of this has been with Germany for small prunes."

Trading in this market was quiet and uneventful at the close today.

CANNED FOOD

In the canned-foods market California canned fruits are showing a strong tone in first hands, and canners are talking higher prices on the small stocks which they have in hand.

COFFEE

In the coffee market there was little in the day's news to influence futures one way or the other. On call prices were 4 to 7 points net lower. There were a few evening-up operations in evidence, March selling at 9.45 and 9.56; May at 8.89 and 8.91; July at 8.69; September at 8.45 and 8.46, and December at 10.36, while December and March contracts switched at a net difference of 85 points. All told, about 4500 bags changed hands, the list closing 3 to 8 points net lower. Demand for spot coffee is fair, despite heavy deliveries from warehouses in New York and New Orleans.

BUTTER

The butter market today was dull ahd weak at the close, but without material change in prices of grades most wanted to tide over the week. Buyers seem to be imbued with ideas of further declines, but there has been no actual surplus of fancy butter this week, and receivers have been able to keep prices fairly well sustained. The demand for undergrades has been rather slow as there have not been so many lots of foreign butter on the market of average good quality that buyers have been in a position to dictate their own terms. Sweet butter sold well. Argentine is again on the market, but of only fair quality and uncertain value.

EGGS

The white-egg market proved disastrous this week. Supplies were extremely large, and prices broke badly. Weather conditions have been so favorable that newlaid have come forward much earlier than has been customary for years. Western and southern eggs have ben very weak and bottom has not been touched, so many buyers claim. Retail prices should now be reduced to a point that would interest consumers. Many lots are being forced for sale at the expense of low prices.

There will be no new trading next week on the exchange in December options but longs and shorts will be permitted to close out contracts either by delivery or settlements.

Pacific Coast white extra, 51@53 cents; extra firsts, 47@50 cents; firsts, 44@46 cents; under grades, 40@43 cents; medium, 40@45 cents; pullets, 39@41 cents.

COPPER

Copper was duller, weaker and quotably lower during the week, and at the close electrolytic was quoted at from 13 to 13 1-4 a pound. The bulk of the sales were made at 13 1-8 cents. Producers, for the most part, are out of the market. Brass and wire mills continued the heaviest buyers but consumers are pretty well covered for the next month or two and there is small likelihood of a revival in demand for some weeks. Exports of copper through this port for the week were 4931 tons.

LEAD

The lead market was more or less nominal last week, as sales were too few to rightly define it. There was a shortage of the metal for prompt shipment and some fancy prices were paid as 8 and 8 1-2 cents New York, but producers took care of their regular customers as far as possible at less than these levels. There were 1200 tons of lead exported last week.

ZINC

After dipping to 6.15 cents, St. Louis, last week, zinc firmed up and closed strong at 6 1-4 cents with futures commanding premiums of 5 to 10 points over the spot price. The weakness was caused by selling pressure and the strength by buyers who were attracted by the lower prices. Consumers interest was mostly for first quarter. There were no exports of zinc during the week.

TIN

The decline in tin was continued most of last week, one day's advance excepted, until a rally advanced prices on the last day of trading. Straits closed here with a net gain for the week of an eighth of a cent all deliveries and positions closing at 47 1-8 cents, as against 47 cents the week before.

BONDS

Evening up was the order of the day in the bond market this forenoon. Some traders signified their intention of remaining out of the market until Wednesday. The market is awaiting with interest the tiding of heavy rail, industrial and municipal financing in January, although several major municipal issues will be pushed out before this month is up, including $21,000,000 State of Illinois bonds.

Liberties were dull and practically unchanged during the short session of trading, the turnover being one of the smallest in weeks. It appears unlikely that any concerted buying will occur until the British start to accumulated again against future debt.

OIL TRADE REVIVES IN KERN AREA

Workmen Arriving at Fields; Prosperity in the Atmosphere

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 23.—Closing the year with a flourish which [illegible] a renewal of oil development in Kern county unprecedented in the history of the industry here, the county last week [illegible] in eleven wells.

With the declining flush production in the southern fields, work [illegible] phase of the business [illegible] San Joaquin county is [illegible] revived. Workmen are returning to the fields and a general air of prosperity is noted in the trading centers. Three of the wells started last week are located in the Elk Hills, while [illegible] in the Midway and three [illegible] Sunset fields.

[illegible] three wells started in the Hills are on property owned by the Pan-American Petroleum Company. The wells are to be known as 1-E, 12-F and 13-F, and are located on Sections 1, 31-[illegible] and 2, 31-24, respectively.

In the Midway field the wells are divided among five concerns: [illegible] Oil Company, Inc., No. [illegible], Section 36, 32-23; Olympia [illegible] Company, No. 1, Section 26, [illegible]; Forman Oil Company, No. [illegible], Section 34, 32-23; Chanslor-[illegible] Midway Oil Company, No. [illegible], Section 1, 32-23, and Pacific [illegible] Company, No. 1, Section 3, 32-[illegible].

The Sunset's three new wells [illegible] Clarence J. Berry, No. 26, Section 34, 12-24; Havenstrite & [illegible], No. 1, Section 17, 11-23; [illegible] Oil Company, No. 1, Section [illegible], 11-23.

[illegible] for water shutoff in Kern [illegible] were made by the Q. and [illegible] Company, No. 1 well, Section [illegible], 32-22, McKittrick; Bell-[illegible] Oil Company, Inc., No. 3, Section [illegible], 32-23, Midway; Honolulu Consolidated Oil Company, No. [illegible], Section 4, 32-24, Midway.

[illegible] jobs in Kern oil fields [illegible] three, two being in the [illegible] and one in the Kern River. The companies are Standard Oil Company, No. 73, Section [illegible], Kern River; St. Helena Oil Company, Ltd., No. 3, Section [illegible], 32-24, and the Honolulu Consolidated Oil Company, No. [illegible], Section 4, 32-24, both in Midway.

[illegible] first appeared in old [illegible] and later was used by the [illegible] to accompany the songs [illegible] of poets.

FEDERAL STAMP TAXES IGNORED

Revenue Collector Goodcell Issues Warning

California Corporations Are Being Checked

Failure to Pay Levies on Deed Dangerous

"The most frequent violation of the laws," said Internal Collector Goodcell yesterday, "is in respect to stamp tax on certificates of stock, deeds, powers of attorney, proxies and other documents requiring documentary stamps to make them legal under the law.

"The law imposes a fine of $100 for each offense," said the Collector, "and in these prosperous days in Southern California, with thousands of new corporations issuing stock; with meetings of stockholders where proxies are issued; with hundreds of thousands of deeds passing from grantors to grantees, and with the issuance of hundreds of thousands of other documents necessary to the conduct of business, and which are subject to the stamp tax, it certainly behooves those responsible to know and comply with the law and to see that proper stamps are affixed and canceled. It is rather expensive to pay a $100 fine for failure to place a 10-cent stamp on a proxy.

"In an investigation now being made," continued Collector Goodcell, "it is astounding the number of violations of law that have been discovered. In one case, a corporation issued nearly $200,000 in stock, mostly in small certificates, failing in every case to affix any stamps, so that it faces a fine of nearly $200,000, as each unstamped certificate is an offense.

"It would seem," Collector Goodcell stated further, "that the ordinary business acumen which this corporation exercised in complying with the requirements of the State Corporation Commission would cause it also to regard its obligations under Federal law and see that its certificates and documents were properly stamped. I fear that the balance sheet of this and other corporations similarly guilty will be deeply in the red when they get through settling their fines with Uncle Sam."

TO RESUME OPERATIONS AT OATMAN

Silver Creek Bonanza Company Obtains Funds for Work

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

OATMAN (Ariz.) Dec. 23.—The Silver Creek Bonanza Company has obtained capital in Jerome and is to resume operation on its placer property west of Oatman. It is estimated that for five feet above bedrock an average value of $1 a yard can be relied upon, though much richer ground has been found. The creek valley is one which, has drained much of the gold-bearing section around Oatman in ancient times.

Last year a shaft was sunk seventy feet to the deepest showing of bedrock, and then drifting was prosecuted for several hundred feet, with good showings in gold reported at all points. It is suggested that water be developed in amount sufficient to float a dredge.

United Eastern is realizing about $150,000 a month from gold shipped to the mint, with its mill run rather higher in ton value than for some time past. Much of the ore is coming from the Big Jim claims, where, it is reported, the company is making deeper explorations of its ore veins.

W. B. Phelps and R. L. Dimmick are checking up details on the Katherine property near the Colorado River. Following their report, contracts are to be signed on the Coast, through which the Tom Reed Company will acquire a majority of the Katherine stock and will undertake installation of a large milling plant and better surface equipment.

Organization has been completed of the United Western Mines Corporation, which is to take over the larger part of the United Western property, near the United Eastern. With funds realized from stock sales, the mine is to be rehabilitated, the shaft cleared out to the depth of 500 feet, and development continued on the 500 level.

An electric line is being extended to the Telluride property where motors are being installed for the new mill and for surface works. The company's developed ore is said to be the richest in the district.

SHIPMENTS AT HARBOR INCREASING

Twenty-six Tankers With 1,744,000 Barrels Leave Local Port

A substantial increase in petroleum shipments from Los Angeles Harbor was recorded during the past week. Twenty-six tankers, carrying 1,744,000 barrels of oil left the port, as compared to twenty-one tankers with 1,458,000 barrels for the previous week.

The majority of shipments were to the Atlantic Coast. Thirteen tankers cleared for eastern domestic ports, ten for Pacific ports and three for foreign ports, including Tampico, Tokuyama and Vancouver.

The shipments were as follows:

DECEMBER 15

Motora, for Portland; 68,000 barrels fuel for Associated Oil Company.

San Gerado, for Tampico; 135,000 barrels crude for Shell company.

Charles Pratt, for New York; 101,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil Company.

DECEMBER 16

W. F. Miller, for San Francisco; 68,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil Company.

Montebello, for Martinez; 74,000 barrels crude for Union Oil Company.

Frank G. Drum, for San Francisco; 73,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil Company.

DECEMBER 17

J. N. Pew, for Philadelphia; 86,000 barrels crude for Union Oil Company.

Dixie Arrow, for Bayonne; 72,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil Company.

R. J. Hanna, for New York; 68,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil Company.

Alden Anderson, for Avon; 70,000 barrels crude for Associated Oil Company.

Halsey, for New York; 66,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil Company.

DECEMBER 18

Samuel Q. Brown, for New York; 66,000 barrels crude for Associated Oil Company.

Kewanee, for San Francisco; in ballast.

Tsurumi Maru, for Tokuyama; 66,000 barrels crude for Mitsui Company.

Hanomet, for New York; 66,000 barrels crude for McArthur Brothers.

Yorba Linda, for Martinez; 88,000 barrels crude for General Petroleum Corporation.

DECEMBER 19

Nushee, for San Francisco; 55,000 barrels mixed for United States Navy.

S. C. T. Dodd, for San Francisco; 66,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil Company.

Muskogee, for New York; 66,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil Company.

DECEMBER 20

W. S. Miller, for Richmond; 61,000 barrels crude for Standard Oil Company.

Agwisun, for New York; 64,000 barrels crude for Associated Oil Company.

G. C. Henry, for New York; 65,000 barrels crude for Pan-American Petroleum Corporation.

Cape Cod, for New York; 60,000 barrels crude for Cape Oil Company.

DECEMBER 21

E. L. Doheny, for New York; 95,000 barrels crude for Pan-American Petroleum Corporation.

La Placentia, for Vancouver; 74,000 barrels crude for Union Oil Company.

M. H. Whittle, for Avon; 66,000 barrels crude for Associated Oil Company.

Three Shifts on Miami Property Widening Shaft

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

MIAMI (Ariz.) Dec. 23.—Three shifts of men are widening the 2400 feet of haulage drift between the Porphyry and Live Oak shafts of the Inspiration Company. The drift, now ten by ten feet, is being widened to twenty-six feet three inches, to allow for three tracks, two of them for ore haulage and the third for men and supplies. Only 640 feet remain to be widened, but this work will take about four months.

Fully six months more will be needed to get the Porphyry shaft into shape. About 100 men are working on excavating and concreting great ore pockets from which the skips will be supplied on the 800, 1000 and and 1200-foot levels.

Fifty steel erectors and many laborers are employed in raising the new Porphyry shaft house, in which is to be machinery of very remarkable power and efficiency. Big ore bins also will be built. Fifteen steel workers are busy with erection of a new roasting plant at the International smelter.

The Miami Copper Company is reported about to start sinking a new shaft at a point a quarter of a mile east of its present main shaft, the new opening needed for mine operation and ventilation.

SACRAMENTO VALLEY CHAMBER ORGANIZED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Forty civic commercial bodies, known as the United Chambers of Commerce of the Sacramento Valley, have been consolidated with the California Development Association. Norman H. Sloane, manager of the association, said the move had been made for the purpose of practical accomplishment of back country building. The organizations affected by the consolidation are within these counties: Solano, Yolo, Colusa, Glenn, Tehama, Shasta, Trinity, Siskiyou, Modoc, Lassen, Plumas, Butte, Sierra, Sutter, Yuba, Placer, Sacramento, Eldorado, Nevada and Amador.

CREECH APPOINTED

Raisin Growers Place Counsel in Charge of all Legal Affairs

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

FRESNO, Dec. 23.—Harry N. Creech, who has been acting as general counsel for the Sun-Maid Raisin Growers, has been definitely placed in charge of all legal activities of the association by action of the board of directors in voting formal approval of his appointment to the position.

Creech has been actually in charge of the legal work of the organization for some time, and handled the reorganization of the association of growers, in addition to directing the formation of various corporations involved in the Sun-Maid since the reorganization.

Verification of his appointment means that Senator M. B. Harris, who formerly filled that position, will in future merely act for the association in certain legal matters with which he is familiar and on occasions when his advice and assistance are required.

Twenty-five thousand millers to grind the grain for 100,000 bakers to convert into bread will be needed by the American people during 1924.

TELEPHONE RECORD BROKEN

More Than 29,000 Instruments Installed Here by Company During Year of 1923

Announcement that last year's record for telephone growth has been broken by this year's net addition of 29,200 telephones was made yesterday by N. R. Powley, commercial superintendent of the Southern California Telephone Company.

During the fiscal year ending the 20th inst. figures just completed show that the growth of the exchange was far greater than in any past year before 1922, and that what was thought a phenomenal list last year when 27,700 telephones were added has been eclipsed by the 1923 performance. This year's growth has been nearly double that of any previous year prior to 1922, it was stated.

"Last Thursday there were 1115 net telephones added during the working day," Powley said in his announcement. This, in all probability, is a record for telephone installations and shows the great amount of work the company is doing.

"The stupendous undertaking we are planning as our $19,200,000 program in 1924, in which we intend to make a net gain of 60,000 telephones, may better be comprehended when it is contrasted with this year's unprecedented gain of 29,200. Next year's program will be more than twice as great as the 1923 accomplishment.

"There are now approximately 219,000 telephones in the Los Angeles exchange. There were 189,800 in the exchange a year ago. The telephone system has grown more than 15 per cent in one year."

HARBOR IN YULE TRAPPINGS

All Incoming Vessels and Piers Gayly Bedecked With Insignia of Christmas Time

Los Angeles Harbor assumed a very Christmassy aspect yesterday. True, there was no snow in sight and sleigh bells tinkled merrily nowhere in the vicinity, but there were plenty of Christmas trees.

Nearly every vessel coming down from the Puget Sound country in the past week has carried a deckload of small firs for the Christmas trade and business in them has been brisk along the piers. More than 1000 persons came to the harbor yesterday in automobiles to make their Christmas purchases there, and the balance of the trees were wholesaled.

The harbor itself was well decorated also. Every vessel carried a tree at the forepeak, another at the truck and another at the taffrail, and the big lumber steamers had them all over their rigging.

Another big lot of Christmas passengers arrived yesterday also. The Kroonland, from New York, brought 416 passengers to this port, the Yale 400 from San Francisco and the Harvard 150 from San Diego.

URGES CITY BUY COLE BUST

Recommendation Cites Benefit to Community and Mark of Honor to Ex-Senator and Sculptor

The Finance Committee of the City Council this afternoon will consider the recommendation of leading citizens that the city purchase a bust of former United States Senator Cornelius Cole, which has just been completed by David Edstrom, the noted sculptor, who is a resident of Los Angeles.

The recommendation for purchase of the bust and for its location in one of the public parks or in a public building, possibly the new $1,500,000 Central Public Library on Normal Hill, was signed by a number of citizens, including E. P. Clark, President Von KleinSmid of the University of Southern California and Librarian Everett R. Perry.

The letter pointed out the distinguished services of former Senator Cole, who is now living in Los Angeles at the age of 101 years and is the oldest living former United States Senator. Los Angeles is in great needs of works of art, the letter stated, and added that the purchase of the bust, which is priced at $5000, will be of benefit to the city and a befitting mark of honor to Senator Cole and to the sculptor.

LONG BEACH READY FOR CHRISTMAS PLAY

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

LONG BEACH, Dec. 23.—Final rehearsals have been held and all is in readiness for the Christmas pageant, to be held tomorrow afternoon in the Municipal Auditorium here, with seventy-five pupils of Lincoln School, staging it under the direction of Edwin House and Mrs. Hazel Anderson, directors of public playground work. The first presentation will be at 2 o'clock and will be especially for the children of Long Beach. In the evening it will be repeated for the grown folk.

ORIGIN OF PREPAID POSTAGE

In ancient times, long before the days of postage stamps, it was always the custom for the recipient of a letter to pay the postage. The way in which this came to be altered is curious. A young man in London fell violently in love with a girl who lived a short distance from the metropolis. But the attentions of the ardent lover were not desired and the maiden had no wish to receive letters from him, much less to pay for them. After a few had been accepted and, of course, paid for, the girl informed the postman that she would not receive any more. This thing set the postman to thinking and, as a result, he made a suggestion to the authorities. This was that it would save a lot of trouble if the sender of a letter was made to pay the postage. So the idea was adopted, and as a result today everyone who sends a letter takes it for granted that he must pay for its delivery in advance.

CROAKED HIS DELIGHT

British Columbia reader says that while sitting alone in her home at night a big toad would hop in time after time and sit looking at her. As the toad visited her often, and she did not care to keep it in the house, she closed the door. One night she heard a queer little scratching at the wire screen of her window, and looking out to investigate saw her friend with his head pressed against the screen, having climbed three feet or more to reach the sill, and she says: "On exclaiming, 'Oh, you're there, old fellow,' he greeted me with a genuine croak, apparently delighted at seeing me."—[Exchange.

Want to Return

The Mennonite farmers who migrated from the Canadian Provinces to Mexico now want to return to Canada. The 5000 families bought vast tracts of Mexican land, generally paying one-third in cash. In one region where they purchased 60,000 acres, only an inch and a half of rain has fallen since March, 1922. In attempting to drill a well the workers got down 2212 feet through solid rock and had not struck water. However, they still have $2,400,000 on deposit in El Paso (Tex.) banks, and if they can get back to Canada to begin again where they left off they will be satisfied.—[Indianapolis News.

DELIGHT OF LIFE IN LAND OF MOSQUES

TUNISIA A SANCTUARY FROM THE RIGORS OF WINTER

Sanctuary from the rigors of winter, new scenes and other faces, the delights of life in unaccustomed places, and constant variety are some of the joys offered by a sojourn in Tunisia at this time of year. The cool season has begun and the flight from the frost and murk of northern climes to the genial warmth of the south, where one is sheltered from winter's ailments and invigorated by sunshine and sea breezes, has begun.

On the eastern coast and in the southern oases the winter is beautifully mild and agreeable, and there are endless attractions for the tourist.

PICTURESQUE STREETS

Tunis, the capital, presents a particular charm in the blending of an old civilization with the new. The picturesque streets of the old town with their color, their bazaars redolent with oriental perfumes and spicy aromas, and the motley, but intensely interesting crowd lie beyond an up-to-date European quarter bordering the edge of the lagoon, where the streets are broad and straight, lined with trees and flanked by tall buildings. Mosques, minarets and ancient palaces invest the town with the glamor of the Orient, but mingling with the East are the civilization, the comforts, and the fashion of the West. From the busy panorama of the capital you can journey speedily and comfortably to the gate of the Sahara, which marks the boundary of the country.

WHAT TUNISIA OFFERS

Tunisia exhibits the remains and artistic relics of the Roman and Carthaginian periods and the wonderful network of more than 2000 miles of roads leading to innumerable centers of interest.

A few miles from Tunis is ancient Carthage, and other points which should be visited are Bizerta, the great arsenal and fort; Kaviouan, where the noted carpets are made; Sfax, with its olive groves; the forests of Kromirie, with their cork trees; and Djerba, the isle of golden sands.—[Continental Edition of London Mail.

Didn't Want Wrangling

W. Gregory Harris has compiled a book about "West Country Folk"—the natives of Devon—and tells the story of the farmer who was ambitious to educate his sons. "He therefore took his young hopefuls to the head master of a famous West Country school and, on being admitted into the principal's sanctum, he said: 'Well, zir, I've a-brought these yer bwoys tu yu vor tu be eddicated; I never 'ad no eddication myzelf, but things be differ'nt vrom what they used ter tu be, an' I wants thee bwoys 'ddicated vitty properly, and dang the cost!' The schoolmaster suavely replied: 'You have done quite right, my friend, in bringing your sons to me, for we have turned out no fewer than three senior wranglers from this school, and the boys who have passed through my hands have never had reason to look back with regret upon their curriculum!' The farmer (not knowing what a senior wranglership was a high mathematical distinction) was a bit dazed at this, but concluded that he was going to get his money's worth. He thereupon replied emphatically and with deep appreciation: 'Yes, zir, that's it! Yu ketch my bwoys wranglin,' or any o' that zorts o' maygames, chuck 'em out, neck an' crop—an' as vor thiccy there currickleum, let 'em 'ave it!'"

Modern preservatives of wood are believed by scientists to equal the substance used by the Egyptians, which has borne a test of 3000 years.

CITY TO REMAIN SCREEN CAPITAL

Big Studios Decide Not to Move to East

Goldwyn Brings His Own Company Here

Says Others in New York Soon to Follow

Heads of the big motion-picture producing interests in New York have given up any idea they may have had of transferring film production in Los Angeles to the East and Los Angeles will always remain the home of the film-makers.

This was the information given out by Samuel Goldwyn, leading New York film producer, who arrived here yesterday for the purpose of transferring his own New York producing organization to Los Angeles.

Mr. Goldwyn confirmed the report printed in The Times that he would produce "Potash and Perlmutter in Hollywood" in Los Angeles and stated that he would make other pictures here as well.

OTHERS TO FOLLOW

"After talking with various heads of the big film companies in New York I can say that Los Angeles will always remain the producing center of the film world. In fact, I can predict that various producers now making pictures in New York are contemplating transfer of their organizations to Hollywood. My own decision to make pictures here is merely a forerunner of what I feel will be evinced on the part of other New York producers shortly.

Mr. Goldwyn stated that he is arranging to bring Alexander Carr and Barney Bernard, the two stage favorites who made the Montague Glass stories famous, to Los Angeles to appear in his next film. He will confer here with Mr. Glass and Frances Marion, who will adapt the play to the screen. Meantime he is sending George Fitzmaurice and a producing unit to Paris to produce Joseph Hergesheimer's biggest seller, "Cytherea."

WAMPAS ON JOB

Not overlooking any bets, the Wampas delegated Carmelitta Geraghty, one of its "Baby Stars of 1924," to meet Mr. Goldwyn at the depot and to sell him the first ticket to the Frolic and Ball.

Before Mr. Goldwyn could place both feet on the ground, Miss Gerhaghty leaped onto the train as it was pulling in and sold the producer the first ticket.

Mr. Goldwyn is a guest of the Ambassador and will make his offices at the First National producing headquarters in the United Studios.

ENGLISH PENSIONS

Chatham and Pitt Each Received $15,000 a Year

There are many precedents in English political history for the criticism very freely lavished on Lord Birkenhead for accepting a State pension of £5000 (normally $25,000) a year. Even the great Chatham, when he obtained his pension of £3000 (normally $15,000) a year and his wife, Lady Hester Greville, was created Baroness Chatham in her own right, incurred the plain-spoken reproaches of the more idealistic politicians of his time.

Thomas Gray, the poet, in a letter to Mason, cries to Chatham: "Oh thou foolishest of great men, that sold his inestimable diamond for a paltry peerage and pension!" The temper of the city was shown in their angry dubbing of the new baroness—"Lady Cheat'em." Lady Chatham was, by the way, caricatured by Hogarth—as "so ugly and so satisfied," says Walpole. He adds that the likeness was so recognizable that Hogarth was forced to cut off the nose.

Chatham's sister, Mistress Anne Pitt, also figured in the pensions list. She had held a court appointment, had become mixed up in court cabals, and had been disgraced without being dismissed. Though she did not recover royal favor, she obtained a very generous pension, and proudly notified the fact to her brother, who coldly replied that he was grieved to see the name of Pitt on a list of pensions. His own £3000 a year came later.—[Manchester Guardian.

BATTERY FACTORY BURNS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 23.—The factory of the Gill Storage Battery Company here was burned late last night. Fire started from defective wiring, according to officials of the company and the damage will approximate $50,000. Insurance will cover the loss.

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Friendship Club dance, Music-Art Hall, 233 South Broadway, evening.
Electric Club luncheon, Biltmore, noon.
Fraternal Order of Eagles Christmas party, Arms' Hall, Sixteenth and Figueroa, evening; all children invited.
Sid Grauman's annual orphans' Christmas party, Metropolitan Theater, 9:30 a.m.
Loyal Knights of the Round Table children's Christmas party, Prantels, 741 South Broadway, 9:30 a.m.
Christmas carol program, Westlake Park, evening.
Chess and Checkers, room 320, Union League Building, Second and Hill, 7 a.m. to 11 p.m.
Free, permanent California exhibit, south Main Gate, pictures, State Exposition Building, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Los Angeles Museum exhibit, Exposition Park, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Annual exhibition of Sculptors' Guild of Southern California, Southwest Museum, afternoon.
Exhibit of teak, Southwest Museum, afternoon.

MOTION PICTURES:
Alhambra, Hill, between Seventh and Eighth, Pola Negri in "The Spanish Dancer."
California, Eighth and Main, "The Rendezvous."
Criterion, Grand at Seventh, "The Hunchback of Notre Dame."
Clune's Broadway, Broadway between Fifth and Sixth, "The Dancer of the Nile."
Grauman's Hollywood, Hollywood Place and Hollywood Boulevard, "The Ten Commandments."
Grauman's Metropolitan, Sixth and Hill—Agnes Ayres in "Don't Call It Love."
Grauman's Million Dollar, Third and Broadway, Mary Pickford in "Rosita."
Grauman's, Eighth and Broadway, Tom Mix in "Six Shooter."
Loew's State, Seventh and Broadway—Miss Murray in "Fashion Row."
Miller's, Main and Ninth, Marion Davies in "Little Old New York."
Mission, Ninth and Broadway, "The Virginian."
Philharmonic Auditorium, Fifth and Olive, "The Rustler."
Tally's Broadway, Broadway and Eighth, "Dr. Jim."

STAGE:
Mason Opera House, 126 South Broadway—"Simon, Limited."
Morosco Theater, 744 South Broadway—"The Last Kiss."
Majestic Theater, Ninth and Broadway—"Declasse."
Fine Arts Theater, 730 South Grand—"U.S.A."

VARIETIES:
Orpheum, 520 South Broadway—"De Luxe Alda & Co."
Hillstreet, Eighth and Hill—Irene Fitzgerald in "My Little Bag o' Trix."
Pantages, Seventh and Hill—"Flaxettes Days and Dixie Minstrels."
Burbank, Sixth and Main — "Burbank Baby Days."
Metropolitan, Fourth and Main—"Richmond's Russian Revels."

Councilmen May Change Name of Concord Avenue

Here's a new one!
Pass-Hambra Boulevard?
Ever hear of it? No?
The sign posts now indicate the street's name to be Concord avenue, and it extends from Lowell avenue to the westerly terminus of Dorchester avenue.
The road links with a highway from eastern Los Angeles to Pasadena and Alhambra; hence, the designation, Pass-Hambra avenue, which was recommended to the Council by the City Engineer. The Council is considering the matter before ordering the street signs changed.

Hollywood to Rejoice Over New Lighting

A week's celebration of the start of the new ornamental lighting system on Hollywood Boulevard from Vine street to Vermont avenue will be inaugurated tonight by the Hollywood Community Business Association and other organizations.
The program will consist of Christmas carols by the Hollywood Community Singers, solos by Eduardo Abdo, young opera singer, and numbers by the Community quartet. A seasonable style revue will be presented.
Assisting in the celebration are business, fraternal, civic and professional organizations of Hollywood.

Motorist Held Is Accused of Manslaughter

H. J. Williams was arrested yesterday on suspicion of manslaughter. The police charge he is the motorist who knocked down Mrs. Anna Spruce, 53 years of age, of 1410½ Mission Road, at Mission Road and Eastlake avenue Saturday night. Mrs. Spruce, her arms filled with Christmas bundles, was crossing toward her home. She died on the way to the Receiving Hospital.
Mrs. Spruce's husband was killed by a railroad train at nearly the same spot eighteen years ago.

EXEMPT ADMISSION TAX LAW EXPLAINED

MISUNDERSTANDING EXISTS AS TO APPLICATION, COLLECTOR SAYS

United States Collector of Internal Revenue Goodcell says that some apparent misunderstanding exists in this district with regard to the collection of war tax on admissions to entertainments given by schools and other organizations.
He says that no school or organization is excused from the collection of the war tax upon admission to any entertainment, regardless of the character of the beneficiary, unless sworn affidavit is filed with the Internal Revenue Office, signed by a duly authorized agent or officer of the association. This affidavit must be made and sworn to before some officer authorized to administer oaths, and must contain correct information with regard to the date, location and character of the entertainment to be given, and the name of the beneficiary and its character. Permission for the printing of the tickets and to proceed with the entertainment tax-free is withheld until Form 755 A, is granted by the Collector.
Any school or organization that fails to comply with the law becomes liable and subject to the fines and penalties imposed by law for failure to collect the tax.

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NOTICIAS MUNDIALES DE ULTIMA HORA

En obsequio a nuestros numerosos amigos de habla española, y para beneficio de los lectores americanos de "The Times" que estudien esa lengua, publicamos diariamente esta columna en castellano, con un extracto de las más importantes noticias de última hora.

Buena parte del futuro progreso de Los Angeles, que es la metrópoli de los Estados Unidos que más cercana se halla a territorio latino-americano, habrá de depender de las relaciones que logremos establecer con nuestras hermanas, las repúblicas del sur. Para que lleguen a ser enteramente cordiales, no hay nada tan importante como que nuestros ciudadanos se familiaricen con la lengua castellana. Tan se dan cuenta de este hecho nuestros habitantes, que hay al presente más de 25,000 personas que estudian español en Los Angeles. A ellas les conviene leer todos los días esta columna, en la que encontrarán español correcto y enteramente moderno.

NOTAS TELEGRAFICAS

Noticias de Washington

WASHINGTON, Diciembre 23.—Los miembros del Congreso van a pasar las vacaciones de Navidad dándoles cuenta a sus comitentes de que no se ha podido trabajar hasta aquí, y de que se presenta muy negra la perspectiva para el porvenir del actual congreso, debido a la paralización legislativa.

La Sociedad anti-prohibicionista se ha unido a las solicitudes que se hacen al comisionado Haynes de que se publique la lista de los parroquianos de "bootleggers" en Washington, por más que no pide que se les persiga.

El lunes se reunirá aquí la Federación Nacional de Atletas Africionados de América.

Dice el Gobierno Mejicano que la Revuelta Está en su Agonía

LAREDO (Tejas) Diciembre 23.—Los mensajes recibidos aquí hoy en la tarde indican que la revolución mejicana está para recibir el golpe de muerte. Parece que la batalla librada entre las huestes insurgentes y los obregonistas en Puebla, en la que las fuerzas rebeldes fueron totalmente batidas, ha roto la espina dorsal de la revuelta.

Los mensajes dicen que el asalto a dicha población, que era la llave de las posiciones rebeldes ha sido la más tremenda de este movimiento. Las tropas de Obregón atacaron por todos lados, haciendo uso de artillería ligera y pesada, guiada por aviones. Fueron muertos centenares de rebeldes y presos más de mil. Siguen diciendo los informes que, después de esta derrota, el General Sánchez, que comanda en jefe a los huertistas, salió para Veracrus a conferenciar con de la Huerta respecto a conferencias de paz.

Los despachos de Veracruz, en cambio, siguen optimistas, dando cuenta de avances en las cercanías de Santa Lucrecia, y de las acostumbradas deserciones en las filas federales, pues anuncian que el General federal Cavazos ha abandonado a Obregón, pasándose al bando contrario con 1500 hombres.

La Huasteca Manda a los Estados Unidos a las Familias de sus Empleados

TAMPICO, Diciembre 23.—Todas las esposas e hijos de los empleados de la compañía de la Huasteca en los campos petroleros de tierra abajo han llegado a la terminal de la compañía, al otro lado del río y enfrente de ésta ciudad. Allí se les alojara hasta que se les pueda enviar a los Estados Unidos, pues la citada empresa dice que, a pesar de lo tranquilo de la situación, se hallarán mejor esas gentes en sus casas.

NOTAS LOCALES

Maniaco Desnudo que Difunde el Terror en un Barco

Un loco de atar que viene a bordo del "Romanstar," vapor de cargo británico que se hallaba ayer en un punto del pacífico del Sur, distante 2000 millas de Los Angeles, puso en peligro las vidas de los tripulantes y la seguridad del navío, resistiéndose a cuanto esfuerzo se hizo para sujetarlo a la disciplina o a algún tratamiento. Tal reza un mensaje radiográfico recibido por el Dr. A. J. Langan, cirujano de policía, en el que se pide auxilio.

"Tramos a bordo un loco furioso, al que ya logramos encerar en un camarote," dice el referido mensaje. "Ha roto a arrancado cuanto mueble hay en el compartimiento, y está en cueros, pues ha hecho añicos sus vestidos. No hemos podido temarle ni su temperatura ni su pulso desde que le acometió la locura, y pedimos ayuda o instrucciones por radio, pues tememos comprometa la seguridad de todos los que vienen a bordo."

El Capitan McLeod, patrón del vapor, pidió la ayuda del Dr. Langan en forma de instrucciones para ver de hacer algo con el maniaco. El mensaje fue reexpedido por el vapor "Edward L. Doheny Third" a la estación que tiene en el puerto la Compañía de Radio de América.

Aunque el Dr. Langan envió con toda prisa instrucciones al capitán, diciéndole que procediera rumbo al puerto más cercano para poner al paciente en un hospital, no sin antes sujetarlo y atarlo en su catre, un nuevo mensaje recibido anoche manifestaba que habían sido infructuosos los esfuerzos para dominar al individuo en cuestión. Agregaba el Capitan McLeod que, en caso de no poder sujetar a la víctima, el barco haría proa hacia el más proximo puerto centroamericano, probablemente el de San Salvador.

El Romanstar es un barco de carga de 10,000 toneladas, de la Blue Star Line, de Liverpool; viene de Londres y va a cargar madera para Oriente en Puerto Gray.

Un Hombre Muerto por Querer Atrapar su Sombrero

Ayer perdió la vida un individuo por tratar de rescatar su sombrero que la había sido arrebatado por el viento. Es una de las tres personas muertas el día de ayer en accidentes de tráfico en Los Angeles y sus alrededores. Todas las carreteras del condado se vieron pletóricas de vehículos con gente que iba a pasar alegremente el domingo. L. D. Brown se llama la víctima de que hablamos, que vivía en Montrose, Avenida Briggs, 424. Se le voló el sombrero en el Bulevar Ventura, y se apeó de su coche para rescatarlo, atravesando el camino, sin ver hacia atrás. Se echó literalmente sobre un coche que conducía el periodista J. C. Knollin, y quedó muerto del tremendo choque.

DEPORTES

Golf

Everett Seaver, veterano de innumerables torneos, se ganó ayer en el Club Campestre de Los Angeles el handicap anual de otoño, venciendo a G. H. Palmer, Jr., en la tanda final, por 2 arriba.

Polo

Teddy Miller les dio ayer tarde la victoria a los cuatro de Purpke en el club campestre de Midwick, con su maravillosa actuación en el poney. Los Blancos salieron vencidos por anotación de 6 a 4.

Soccer

El equipo de soccer de los Unidos de Los Angeles batió ayer a los Hijos de San Jorge en el parque Washington por anotación de 2 a 1.

Futbol

El equipo de futbol del Club Olimpico de San Francisco llegará aquí hoy para contender mañana en el parque Washington con los Indios de Haskell.

Carreras de Caballos

Hoy quedarán instalados más de 400 caballos en el hipódromo de Culver City, listos para las carreras sin apuestas que van a comenzar mañana.

NEW SCOUT CRUISER COMPLETES TRIAL TRIP

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

QUINCY (Mass.) Dec. 23.—The scout cruiser Raleigh successfully completed a four-hour, full-power run down Massachusetts Bay yesterday and officials of the trial board of the United States Navy pronounced the vessel "satisfactory."

SALVATION DRIVE WILL END TODAY

Final Appeal to be Made to City to Give Funds for Christmas Relief

Salvationists and scores of volunteers from the principal women's clubs of the city will make a concerted drive today in Hollywood and the downtown business district in their final appeal for funds for Salvation Army Christmas relief work.

Under the supervision of Brig. C. R. Boyd, divisional commander of the Salvation Army for Southern California, all arrangements will be completed today to help the poor and sick of the city tomorrow through the distribution of Christmas baskets, clothing and shoes.

It was pointed out last night by Brig. Boyd that the demands upon his organization during this Yuletide season have been greater than in previous years and for this reason he asks for a generous response from the public to the urgent appeal for funds to meet every emergency.

In addition to the distribution of clothing and baskets of food tomorrow the Salvationists will give special attention to numerous cases of destitute families requiring medical aid. Hundreds also will be made happy at the annual Christmas dinner to be given at the Army Industrial Home.

Brig. Boyd yesterday expressed his appreciation to Fred Niblo, president of the Motion Picture Directors' Association; Mary Pickford and others in the Hollywood studios; members of the women's advisory council of the Salvation Army and the hundreds of volunteers, who co-operated this year to make the campaign a success.

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THE WEATHER

(Official Report)

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 23.—(Reported by H. D. Horner, Meteorologist.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.10; at 5 p.m., 30.12. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 48 deg. and 63 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 44 per cent; 5 p.m., 16 per cent. Wind 5 a.m., west, velocity, 4 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity, 5 miles. Temperatures, highest, 69 deg.; lowest, 46 deg. Rainfall for season, .76 inch; last season to date, 4.77 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

LOCAL FORECAST

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Monday.

STATE FORECAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Weather forecast: All California: Fair Monday; heavy frost in morning; light northeasterly winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 23.—Forecast for Arizona: Show north, rain south portion Monday and probably Tuesday; no important change in temperature.

TEMPERATURES

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	68	—	Oklahoma	62	30
Boise	34	18	Phoenix	68	36
Bismarck	24	10	Pittsburg	42	30
Buffalo	36	28	Portland, Or.	46	36
Calgary	24	6	Rapid City	36	24
Chicago	34	28	Reno	46	22
Cincinnati	36	30	Roseburg	48	32
Des Moines	34	24	Sacramento	58	32
Dodge City	44	24	St. Louis	36	30
Duluth	24	6	St. Paul	30	16
Flagstaff	36	20	Salt Lake City	42	30
Galveston	66	52	San Diego	66	52
Havre	28	16	San Francisco	52	46
Helena	30	16	St. Louis Obispo	58	36
Kansas City	42	30	Seattle	46	36
Kamloops	30	22	Spokane	36	22
Los Angeles	68	46	Tacoma	46	36
Memphis	46	30	Tonopah	46	22
Modena	38	22	Walla Walla	36	26
Minneapolis	26	8	Winnipeg	24	6
New Orleans	66	52	Woodland	54	30
New York	42	30	Yuma	66	38
Northeast	32				

VITAL RECORD

DEATHS

With Funeral Announcements

ATKINSON. Joseph Orville Atkinson, Remains will be sent by the Home Mortuary, 942 South Figueroa street, to Rexburg, Idaho, for services and interment.

AVERY. In Burbank, Dec. 22, 1923, John Howard Avery, aged 73 years, husband of Lucy Elizabeth Avery and father of Mrs. Bert Dewitt of Wilmington and Dr. Edwin W. Avery of Hollywood.
Funeral services at the residence, 811 Front-dale avenue, Burbank, Monday at 2 o'clock.

BARNES. Sarah A. Barnes at Pomona, widow of the late Judge H. Barnes, passed away December 23, 1923.—Friends of the family, Valrico, Fla.; H. F. Barnes, Chino, Cal.; Mrs. A. B. Davis, Enid, Okla.; Mrs. George H. Member of Los Angeles.

BRIDWELL. Remains of Sarah Emily Bridwell will be sent today by the Home Mortuary, 942 South Figueroa street, to Springfield, Mo., for interment.

BRUNS. December 22, at 132 East Thirty-fifth street, Sarah Jane Bruns, beloved mother of Mary Carolyn Bruns and Mrs. Cecilia E. Dowd of this city.
Notice of funeral later. Pierce Brothers, directors.

CHAN. Late of 2299 East Third street, Chan Kui Sing, devoted husband of Mrs. Lee Chan, father of Katherine, Caroline Agnes, Willie-lee, Elizabeth and Eleanor Chan of this city.
Funeral Thursday, December 27, at 2 p.m. at chapel of Wilshire Undertaking Company, 717 West Washington street.

CLARK. Funeral services for Mary Ethel Clark, beloved wife of W. D. Clark and daughter of Mrs. G. Ellsworth, will be held today at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., 729 West Washington street.

COLE. Of 3315 Amsden Drive, Frank M. Cole. Funeral services at Crowe's today, 9:30 a.m.

DIETZ. At Loma Linda, Cal., December 22, Frank E. Dietz, beloved father of Earle W. Dietz of 944 Rowena Place, this city, Frank W. Dietz of Fort Thomas, member of Crochet Lodge, F. & A.M., San Francisco Commandery, Idaho Temple, Boise.
Services will be held Wednesday, December 26, at 2 p.m. in the chapel of the Los Angeles Crematory, Sixteenth and Glover streets, under direction of the Home Mortuary, 942 South Figueroa street.

GOODMAN. Funeral services for Frank C. Goodman will be held today at 3 p.m. from the residence, 5407 Gramercy Place. Pierce Brothers, directors.

HAMILTON. December 22, at Chandler, a sanitarium, husband of Mary A. Hamilton and father of Mrs. Fred H. Adams, Mrs. Fred Gerard and Mrs. Margaret Pettit.
Funeral today at 4:15 p.m. from chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, 1221 South Grand avenue. Interment private at Inglewood Park Cemetery.

HARPER. Wilma Porter Harper, wife of 627 Carolin street, beloved husband of Lola Harper, member of Danville Lodge No. 1001, I.O.O.F. and White Oak Lodge No. 402, F. & A.M., of Danville, Ill.
Services will be held at the Home Mortuary, 942 South Figueroa street, Wednesday, December 26, 2 p.m. Interment, Inglewood Park Cemetery. (Danville, Ill., papers please copy.)

HARTUNG. Suddenly, at Pasadena, Cal., December 22, 1923, Hugo E. Hartung of 11728 Brent avenue, South Pasadena, aged 58 years, a native of St. Louis, Mo.
Funeral services will be held at the chapel of Turner, Reavey & Avery, 1417 Wilcox street, South Pasadena, Wednesday, December 26, at 2 p.m. (St. Louis, Mo., and Boston, Mass., papers please copy.)

HEBNER. At 1911 Hillcrest Drive, Nancy McCoy, beloved husband of Chris. Hebner. Christian Science funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. from the funeral chapel of Graham & Isbell, 915 West Washington street.

KITTS. At 1410 Ellendale Place, Charles P. Kitts, native husband of Cora and brother of Fred R. Kitts.
Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. under the auspices of B.P.O.E. No. 99, at the funeral chapel of Graham & Isbell, 915 West Washington street.

LONG. In this city, Thomas Long, aged 52 years. Funeral today at 10 a.m. from chapel of S. P. Overholtzer-Rose Co., 1336 South Grand.

MARCIAS. Felix Marcias.
Remains at the chapel of Graham & Isbell.

MARORIO. Peter Maorio, aged 34 years, beloved husband of Theresa, loving father of Alphie and Marie Maorio.
Funeral announcement later by the Home Mortuary, 942 South Figueroa street.

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Quarrel Over Rum for Bottle to Avoid Bootlegger's Case

Because he objected to the action of 3 men in the purchase of a bottle of wine in an alley, Bernard Merkin, 26, was shot and killed by a bootlegger known to police only as the latter's companion ran out of the street in the early morning, according to Deputy Sheriff Jarvis, who investigated the case when word was sent to the Sheriff's office.
The man said to have fired the shots fled immediately and became the object of a city-wide search by police. He is said to be a well-known bootlegger and well known to police.
Another version of the shooting was by P. F. Sweeney, 1200 Mateo avenue, who said he was awakened by a stray bullet which entered his room and ran wild in the house. The bullet entered the alley in which the shooting occurred, and his body was taken to the Bramble undertaking rooms, where skull is fractured. Merkin was taken to the General Hospital.

Baby's Bruises Laid to Father by Its Mother

What were declared by the police to be severe injuries to a baby 6 months caused an investigation yesterday at the home of Mrs. Courier, a contractor, at 1 Patterson street, Glendale. The child appeared to have been beaten several times in the face and body, the police said, but as no one made a formal complaint against was made. The police said they would report the case to the juvenile authorities for further action today.
Mrs. Courier, who is partly paralyzed, told the police, they say, that her husband had caused the injuries because he was irritated by his crying. The Courier baby has three other children.

MEXICAN KILLED IN ARGUMENT AT CAFE

EL CENTRO, Dec. 23.—(Special Correspondence.)—Trentidia, 30 years of age, lived in a camp near here, was shot and killed tonight in a cafe operated by a man who is charged with the killing. According to witnesses, Trentidia was shot after he had ordered the bartender to leave the cafe, which was closed for the night. The slayer is in jail here. Trentidia's body is at the Valle Dial Funeral Home. Friends of the dead man say they know of no reason for the shooting.

LAWTELLE LIC

Lark Ellen Your

Staff Correspondence
EL CENTRO, Dec. 23.—With appropriate ceremonies, the new Elks Home for Boys was dedicated today. The new home is at One Hundred and Louisiana street

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MAN KILLED; ONE HURT BY STRAY SHOT

Quarrel Over Extra Pay for Bottle to Asserted Bootlegger is Cause

Because he objected to the addition of 5 cents to the price of a bottle of wine to pay for the bottle, Serrano Morales, 31 years of age, was shot and killed by a bootlegger known to police as Jim, in the latter's joint on Chestnut street in the north end, last night, according to Detective Lieutenant Jarvis, who investigated. Morales was dead when police arrived.

The man said to have fired the shots fled immediately and is the object of a city-wide hunt by the police. He is said to be a notorious bootlegger and well known to police.

Another victim of the shooting was P. F. Sorra, 1241 Crown avenue, wounded in the thigh by a stray bullet. Police believe a car was hit as he stepped into the alley in which the wanted bootlegging joint was situated. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital.

MEXICAN KILLED IN ARGUMENT AT CAMP

EL CENTRO, Dec. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Trentidia, 30 years of age, who lived in a camp near Holtville, was shot and killed tonight at his home by a man who is believed to have fled to Mexico. An argument preceded the firing of the shots, in which was a shotgun, reported by witnesses. The man suspected of the slaying is known here as Emilio Diaz, according to his wife. Friends of the dead man say they knew of no motive for the shooting.

THREE DEAD IN SUNDAY TRAFFIC

Fourth Victim Not Expected to Survive

Old Montrose Man Killed Chasing Hat

Child Resident Struck in Culver City

[illegible] gave up his life yesterday in an effort to rescue his hat, which had blown off. He was one of three persons killed in traffic accidents in and near Los Angeles, during a great volume of holiday traffic which crowded all the highways and byways. Another was so badly injured he is expected to die.

[illegible] Brown, 24 years of age, of Briggs avenue, Montrose, was killed on Ventura Boulevard [illegible] north of the Chalk Hill grade when he got out of a car to rescue it. [illegible] across the road without looking behind him and got directly in front of a car driven by J. [illegible] of 1187 South Windsor boulevard, a newspaper man. He died [illegible] of the impact. Knolin declared that he was driving [illegible] miles an hour, as he was in a hurry to get home from business. His was not held responsible for the accident which occurred at that point. The body of Brown was taken to the [illegible] undertaking rooms at [illegible].

[illegible] IN CULVER CITY

[illegible] corner of Durango [illegible] and Washington Boulevard in Culver City by a machine driven by [illegible] A. Fox of 300 Jackson street, Culver City, according to [illegible] report. The police absolved [illegible] from blame for the accident [illegible] at last hold him. Morton was [illegible] instantly.

[illegible] Hudson, 17 years of age, [illegible] 1241 Pine-first street, was [illegible] by Frank Walden, 24, ad- [illegible] automobile, was so seri- [illegible] he will probably die, [illegible] collision between [illegible] yesterday two miles [illegible] Redondo, on the Palm- [illegible] boulevard.

[illegible] others were less seriously [illegible] Walker, 17, who was [illegible] injured; Charles Kerr, 17, [illegible] his leg broken; R. V. Mc- [illegible] on the head, and L. Dono- [illegible] and scratches. McGrew, [illegible] 1241 Buckingham [illegible] was arrested on a [illegible] of manslaughter. [illegible] is declared to have [illegible] Donohue's automo- [illegible] the time of the crash. [illegible] two hours after the [illegible] and his body was taken [illegible] undertaking rooms. [illegible] skull is fractured, [illegible] taken to the Gen- [illegible].

...y's Bruises ...id to Father ...by Its Mother

[illegible] declared by the po- [illegible] severe injuries to a baby [illegible] caused an investiga- [illegible] today at the home of [illegible] Decker, a contractor, at [illegible] street, Glendale [illegible] appeared to have been [illegible] those in the face [illegible] the police said, but as [illegible] made a formal complaint [illegible] was made. The police [illegible] report the case to [illegible] authorities for further [illegible].

[illegible], who is partly par- [illegible] the police, they say, [illegible] had caused the [illegible] because he was ir- [illegible] crying. The Cour- [illegible] three other children.

DOES HIS BEST TO KEEP TRUST

Faithful to Master

DOG GUARD OVER AUTO FOUR DAYS

Animal Balks Police for Hour in Effort to Trace Ownership of Car

Leonidas, Horatius, Casabianca, Lawrence, Perry and others whose names are synonymous with faithfulness and devotion to principle have a Los Angeles rival. He is nameless; at least, his name is not known, and his ancestry is considered doubtful. But hunger and thirst could not drive him from his post, even after what is believed to have been a four-day and four-night vigil.

There is believed to be a strong strain of bull terrier in him, and the rest appears to be just dog. He was left on guard in a battered old Ford car at the corner of First street and Broadway, and the car's owner and his master appears to have gone away and forgotten both.

But last night he was offered a choice of homes by all the members of the police department on duty at Central Station, and the dispute over who should fall heir to him threatened to disrupt the force.

How the car and dog could remain on such a prominent corner, so near the police station, so long unnoticed, will be wondered at by every motorist who ever stopped fifteen minutes too long in a restricted area and got a tag for it. It is a mystery to the police themselves; they do not explain it, but they admit it. But both the car and dog are declared to have stayed right where they were from Thursday until last evening.

When this remarkable report came to the desk Detective Lieutenant Greely was sent out to see about it. Greely found the car and the dog, all right, but that was as far as he got for quite a while. For when Greely started to lean in to look for a registration certificate, the dog rose, growled and showed his teeth.

Greely walked around to the other side of the car. The dog followed, growled and showed his teeth.

"There, that's all right, old fellow," said Greely, and reached out a petting hand. The dog growled

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CARGO LANDED BY LIQUOR SHIP

Decoy Car Used to Shield Auto Rum Fleet

Machine Taken by Police in Gun Battle

Rest of Christmas Cheer Run Into City

After waiting for more than a week for an opportunity to evade prohibition officials, liquor runners shortly before dawn yesterday landed a large portion of the cargo of the "rum ship" anchored off the coast, south of Santa Barbara, passed the gauntlets of Federal and county officials and after an exchange of shots with Hollywood police on Ventura Highway, delivered the liquor in Los Angeles.

A bullet-riddled automobile, a case of bonded liquor and a five-gallon container of whisky are in possession of the police. The confiscation was made after a six-mile chase and gun battle between the police and occupants of the machine which was leading the fleet of six or more automobiles headed for Los Angeles with the liquor.

CAR ABANDONED

While police officers were attempting to overtake the pathfinder car for the rum-runners, the remainder of the liquor fleet is believed to have entered Los Angeles without trouble.

When officers attempted to stop the car, occupants of the machine opened fire on Sergt. Nelson, Officer Hawes and Detective Lieutenant Newstetter. The officers returned the fire, gave chase and after an exchange of more than fifty shots during the six-mile course of the chase, finally overtook the machine in heavy underbrush, more than a mile off any road or trail and about four miles north of Cahuenga Pass.

The occupants of the machine had fled when the officers found it. The back end of the machine had been riddled with bullets and blood stains were on the back seat.

The captured machine, a Marmon, bore the license number 552-392. It carried no registration certificate and there was nothing about the car that would indicate the identity of the owners or occupants. The liquor was found in the rear seat.

TIP RECEIVED

According to Sergt. Nelson, the police late Saturday night received a tip that the liquor runners were going to make an attempt to get into Los Angeles with a large shipment of Christmas liquor, which was to be unloaded from the rum ship off the coast between Los Angeles Harbor and Santa Barbara. Federal and county officials likewise had been notified and officers were stationed along the highway from Ventura to Los Angeles, it was said.

Sergt. Nelson and his squad were stationed on Ventura Highway near the western limits of the city when the Marmon car came into sight. The officers attempted to flag it down, but the occupants fired and opened up their machine to a mile-a-minute speed. The officers followed and, as the chase became warm, the liquor runners swerved from the road, turned off their lights of their machine and started across a plowed field. They finally came to grief in a blind ravine and abandoned the car.

NO CLEW FOUND

According to the officers, occupants of the bootleggers' machine threw bottles from the car during the chase in an effort to lighten the load.

Police yesterday were attempting to locate the six or more automobiles that made their way into Los Angeles with the Christmas liquor. The captured machine is apparently a stolen car,

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Well Near Whittier Becomes Gusher

Scenes at New Oil Field

Above, Ed Stull (driller,) Harold Palmquist (tool dresser,) William Meredith, general manager of the company, and Claude Bright, (driller,) just after they had turned the O'Donnell No. 6 into the tanks. Below, O'Donnell No. 6 belching oil in a picturesque setting—surrounded by citrus and avocado groves. Whittier Valley shown in background.

TO REQUEST EXTRA HOUR FOR DANCES

Extension of Time Will be Urged by Committee on City Council

A request for a more liberal dance law will be made to the City Council today by representatives of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, the Chamber of Commerce, the Hotel Men's Association, the Automobiles Club of Southern California and other organizations, it was learned last night.

On the vote last week the Council was deadlocked, four to four, in the absence of Councilman Baker, Councilman Mushet leading those in favor of the change, with Councilman Allan marshaling the city fathers who favored hearing the present closing hour of midnight.

Police Commissioner Birnbaum stated last night that he was in favor of a new ordinance allowing public dancing until 1 o'clock.

The Council will be asked by the committee to permit public dancing until 1 o'clock, and, at the discretion of the Police Commission, until later hours, according to Mr. F. J. Zeehandelaar, secretary of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association.

"We feel that reputable people who wish to dance should not be treated like children," said Mr. Zeenhandelaar, "but accorded the benefits they receive in every metropolitan city."

Expect Speedy Convalescence of Mayor Cryer

Mayor Cryer probably will not be able to eat Christmas dinner with his family, but his condition continues to improve, according to a bulletin issued last night at the Cryer home.

The Mayor's physician will not yet say when he may sit up, but declares that everything points to a speedy recovery.

MANIAC TERRORIZES SHIP

Insane Man Wrecks Compartment, Defies Capture by Crew, says S.O.S. Call to Los Angeles

A raving maniac on the British tramp steamer Romanstar at a position about 2000 miles distant from Los Angeles somewhere in the South Pacific yesterday endangered the lives of the crew and the safety of the vessel and resisted all efforts to subject him to either treatment or discipline, according to a radio message for help received by Dr. A. J. Langan, police surgeon at Los Angeles Harbor.

"We have a raving, maniac aboard, whom we have succeeded in locking in the storeroom," stated the S.O.S. message. "He has broken or torn away everything movable in the compartment and is stark naked, having torn his clothing to shreds. We have been unable to take his temperature or pulse since his insanity developed. Request assistance or radio directions in fear that he will endanger safety of all on board."

Aid of Dr. Langan was asked by Capt. McLeod, master of the steamer, in radio directions to handle the maniac. The message was relayed to the Radio Corporation of America's port station by the steamer Edward L. Doheny III.

Although Dr. Langan hastily sent directions to the captain advising him to proceed to the nearest port and to place the patient in a hospital, and to subdue the man and lash him to his bed, a later message last night stated attempts to control the man were fruitless. Capt. McLeod said if they were unable to subdue the victim in a short time the vessel would proceed to the nearest Central American port—probably San Salvador.

The Romanstar, a 10,000-ton freight steamer operated by the Blue Star Line of Liverpool, is en route from London to load lumber for the Orient at Gray's Harbor.

CHRISTMAS DANGERS TOLD

Warning Given to Use Great Care in Preventing Fire from Tree Decorations and Ornaments

BY JOHN D. MAXFIELD,
Manager Department of Safety and Fire Prevention, Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce

Too often the Christmas season, which should be an occasion of pleasure and good cheer, becomes one of tragedy in many homes, because of serious injury and often death by fire. The highly inflammable Christmas tree and paper decorations, or the cottom costume or beard of Santa Claus, frequently ignite from a lighted candle or match and fatal results ensue.

Care should be taken to have the tree set up firmly so that it will not tip over, and it should be located several feet away from any heating or lighting fixture. Use paper decorations sparingly, or not at all. Metal tinsel with fake asbestos and powdered mica make excellent materials for snow effects and will not burn. The tree never should be illuminated with candles. The colored electric light sets so widely sold are much safer, but even these should be so arranged that the lamps will not be in contact with inflammable material.

Ornaments should be of metal or spun glass rather than paper. Never use decorations made of pyroxylin plastic—this is commonly known as celluloid, and is sold under various trade names—such as "pyralin," "French ivory," "Parisian ivory," "ivoroid," etc. Pyroxylin plastic is extremely inflammable and will ignite at a comparatively low temperature. Obviously, toys made of this material, which unfortunately are widely sold and used, are likewise dangerous and should, therefore, be kept away from lights and fires.

Toys involving the use of alcohol, gasoline or kerosene should be used with the greatest care. This is also true of low-priced electrical playthings, since they are often insecurely wired and flimsily constructed.

This word of warning should not be so construed that it will detract in any measure from the Yuletide cheer, but rather in its application to such hazards as are apt to be overlooked is the attempt to give the proper "atmosphere" to the Christmas festivities. It is possible to be both safe and merry at the same time.

Times Want Ads are Finding HUNDREDS of COMFORTABLE HOMES for hundreds of Los Angeles Renters

"TIMES" WORKER DIES

Henry Heisner Succumbs to Brief Attack of Influenza

Henry Heisner, foreman of the electrotyping department of The Times, died yesterday morning at his home, 1011 Ridgley Drive, after a short illness of influenza. Mr. Heisner had been an employee of the Times for eight years. He was 45 years of age, and leaves a widow. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 2 p.m. at the chapel of Graham & Isbell, 915 West Washington street.

TODAYS BIBLE TEXT

POWER OF THE WORLD:—For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

—Hebrews iv:12

OPERATORS HIT NEW OIL FIELD

Gusher Near Whittier Blows During Water Test

Fluid Shoots Clear Above Derrick Crown Block

O'Donnell No. 6 Expected to Start New Rush

BY HOWARD C. KEGLEY

Gusher production in a new oil field for Southern California developed yesterday when the No. 6 well of the O'Donnell Refining Company on Rideout Heights, two miles northwest of Whittier and four miles north of the Santa Fe Springs field, blew itself in while a water test was being made.

The oil shot clear over the crown-block and drenched everything in close proximity to the well, ending a spectacular two-hour run by bursting the pipe line leading to the storage tanks, after which it sanded up.

Yesterday afternoon, under the personal direction of Mr. O'Donnell, the well was revived and placed on production. It made 2500 barrels in about twelve hours, and was rated last night as a 5000-barrel producer, although it was at that time only flowing about 1000 barrels a day.

The oil is paraffin base, and tests 36 degrees gravity. The hole is 4270 feet deep, and the surprising thing about it is that the well is producing at this rate although the drill only went fourteen feet into the sand. The hole showed three distinct producing sands, the first at about 2800 feet and the second at about 3750 feet. Both of the upper sands were blocked off, and the hole is yielding petroleum only from the third sand, which is thought to correspond to the Meyer sand of the Santa Fe Springs field.

NEAR FRUIT GROVE

O'Donnell No. 6 is located a few blocks from the intersection of Workman Road, Pasadena Boulevard and Lemon avenue. It stands on a steep hillside only a stone's throw from the home of A. B. Rideout, the avocado king, who developed picturesque Rideout Heights as an avocado grove and a hill-view residence district.

The well is the sixth that has been drilled on a 200-acre lease which skirts the hills in that vicinity and embraces what oil operators regard as the mother fold of the Santa Fe Springs field. Production was some time ago secured in two of the earlier wells, but neither of the holes ever produced more than 125 barrels a day, it is reported, and the district was not regarded as a distinct field until the No. 6 blew itself in yesterday.

The original wells were drilled by the Witley Oil Company which, after considerable development, placed its holdings on the market.

REFUSED PROPERTY

Oil operators assert that the property was offered to and refused by about thirty-five different oil-producing companies or capitalists before it was purchased by J. E. O'Donnell, well-known operator, who is a partner in the O'Donnell & Gillette Refining Company at Whittier. The No. 6 hole was started more than two years ago.

The well was drilled and brought in by Drillers Ed Stull, Bob Saunders and Claude Bright; and Tool-dressers Harold Palmquist, William Pinkham and John O'Donnell. William Meredith, general manager of the company, was on the ground yesterday with Mr. O'Donnell to see the well placed on production.

Oil men in the Whittier district, which has already yielded millions of barrels of oil, regard the O'Donnell property, they said yesterday, as a new gusher field, on a side of the city where they did not expect oil production.

The new well was brought in from the very heart of a mature and bearing lemon and avocado grove. The lease is completely surrounded by bearing citrus and avocado groves. The big strike is particularly significant because it is one of the few big field developments made in the region by an independent producing company.

WILSHIRE HOME ROBBED

Burglars who ransacked the home of Mrs. J. J. Cullen at 645 South Gramercy Place late Saturday night obtained jewelry and a small amount of cash, to a total of $1434, according to a report made to Officers Armstrong and Beathe of Wilshire division early yesterday.

WHAT Los Angeles Most Needs Now

BY. J. F. SARTORI,
President, Security Trust & Savings Bank

The needs of Los Angeles today may be embodied in the words "planning" and "completing."

During the past few years the city has been passing through a remarkable period of uncontrolled expansion and former facilities have been outgrown.

The time has come for us to take stock of ourselves; on the basis of the facts disclosed, to lay adequate plans for completing the structure so far builded; and with determination and singleness of purpose to set about the fulfillment of these plans.

Of the many things that must be done, a number come to mind as being most urgent:

City Planning: We must strive to avoid the waste of building up and tearing down of various parts of the city because of flimsy construction and lack of foresight in location. We must foster the growth of districts according to type of use and preserve the character of such districts when established. Something must be done to widen our downtown streets and in other ways to avoid traffic congestion. Crosstown thoroughfares on the surface and subways underground must be built to take care of the traffic which daily flows in and out of the city. Our transportation facilities must be made equal to the demands of the great area over which our population spreads.

Industrial Planning: There is no greater need than that for more industries to provide employment for the flooding population and goods to fill its wants. Only by more industries will our greater growth be maintained. No worthier enterprise could be instituted today than an industrial survey conducted by experts, which would disclose the present condition of our industrial fabric, show what we have and what we have not, and indicate in what lines factors are favorable for development. Only on the basis of facts can we induce an industrial expansion. Only on a fact basis will money be forthcoming for the support of desirable enterprises. We must find means to finance feasible projects.

Development of raw materials supply: Los Angeles is the economic capital of a vast back-country. We must become more energetic in developing the basic raw materials available in this back-country and concentrating them here for fabrication and manufacture. Wool, cotton, copper, coal, iron and many other metals and minerals lie close at hand.

Development of rail and water transportation: The transportation of materials, goods and products is a vital element in the prosperity of this region. We must carry to completion the plans which have been made for our harbor, at the gates of which the commerce of the world, and we must secure added rail facilities to those points from which our raw materials are to come and to which our finished products are to go.

Water and power development: Water is a prime requisite of a great city. It is needed not only for domestic and industrial purposes but for the irrigation of the crops which sustain its people. Electrical energy enters more and more into the processes of urban life. Our present supplies of both these elements will be insufficient for the greater city. Almost unlimited sources of both lie in the rivers and mountains near by. We must apply our best engineering talent and most effective organizing ability towards their development.

Social planning: We must not lose sight of the necessity of keeping the city a safe, worthy and pleasant place to live. We must insist on the protection of life and property, provide ample means for the unfortunate and needy, afford adequate educational facilities for our youth and playgrounds and open spaces for all. Plans for a

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THEOLOGIANS TO CONVENE

Three-Day Convention Here to Hear Speakers of Note from All Over United States

The first convention of the Pacific-Southwest Theological Conference, an organization devoted to the promotion of Christian thinking, will meet in Los Angeles January 9, 10 and 11. Sessions will be conducted at the First Methodist and First Congregational churches.

Speakers from all over the United States are on the program for the three-day convention. Ray L. Wilbur, president of Stanford University; Dean Charles R. Brown of Yale; Prof. Herbert L. Willett of Chicago; Prof. S. J. Holmes of the University of California; Dr. Robert A. Millikan of the California Institute of Technology, and others are included in the list of those who are to address the gatherings.

Six religious denominations will be officially represented at the conference, which will be in the control of no special school of thought, but will emphasize the need for unity and co-operation rather than division. The communions uniting for the convention are the Presbyterian, Baptist, Christian, Methodist, Episcopal and Congregational.

The conference takes in the States of California, Arizona, Nevada and New Mexico. All sessions, beginning daily at 9:30 a.m. at the two churches, will be open to the public. Music during the convention will be furnished by the Fisk Jubilee singers.

Unnatural History

THE IGUANA

The Iguana likes persons who make it hot for him.

He also enjoys traveling under his own steam.

Being, in fact, a sort of hotpachyderm.

You ought to see him do the Crawl of the Wild.

Sometimes, they say, it makes the Southern Cross.

...WTELLE LIONS DEDICATE BOYS' HOME

Lark Ellen Youngsters Are Given New Residence

Part of Crowd at the Dedication

[illegible] Staff Correspondent [illegible], Dec. 23.—With appropriate ceremonies, the new Lions' Home for Boys was dedicated here today. The new [illegible] One Hundred and [illegible] and Louisiana street here and was built at a cost of more than $50,000. It has a capacity for fifty orphan children, and thirty are at present housed there.

The new home is the gift of the Lions' Clubs of this section and A. M. Engler, president of the Lions' Club of Sawtelle presided and was the principal speaker of the afternoon. President Workman of the City Council represented Mayor Cryer at the dedication, and spoke briefly.

The principal ceremony was the raising of the American Flag at the home. This was done by Jessie Dunlap of the Women's Relief Corps of Sawtelle.

ARTIST TRIO ON RADIO PROGRAM

Number for Flute, 'Cello and Piano Features

Original Composition Bright and Colorful

KHJ Impresario Harry Knox Scores Success

BY K. G. ORMISTON

Who, in his realm of art
Sings a new song or plants a new tree
Becomes himself a living part
Of Earth's creative majesty.
—[Dobson.

The featuring of artists in their own compositions has always been the policy of The Times radio studio, and very often the first public performance of these original works are broadcast over KHJ.

Such was the case last night when a special feature of the program was the presentation of a new trio number for flute, 'cello and piano, played by Walter E. Kendall, 'cellist, Mrs. Harry C. Knox, pianist, and Harry C. Knox, the composer, playing the flute part.

The composition was colorful and pleasing in its effects and ideal for trio combination. Named "Remembrance of Yosemite," by the composer, and dedicated to Uncle John Daggett of KHJ, the number depicted the falling water and many beauties of California's wonderful park.

The entire program was arranged by Harry C. Knox, who in addition to the 'cellist and pianist of the trio was assisted by Margaret Fern Melrose, soprano; Frances Lidman, pianist, and Richard K. Bailey, violinist.

ADDITIONAL FEATURE

In addition to the many trio numbers, Richard K. Bailey, violinist, joined with them in the rendition of several quartet selections, playing from Rubinstein, Gaubert and Gane. The ensemble registered with a harmonious balance that made their interpretations wholly pleasing.

The 'cellist, Walter E. Kendall, has recently come to the Southland from Boston, and he was heard to good advantage in solo numbers, with Mrs. Knox at the piano. The full swinging tone of his instrument and technical efficiency of the artist were demonstrated in "Nocturne," by Gotterman; "Old Folks at Home," Strube-Foster, and "Danse Rustique, by Squire.

Harry C. Knox and Richard K. Bailey were also heard in solo work, their individual capabilities being as marked as the excellence of their ensemble artistry. Mrs. Knox furnished the accompaniment in her completely satisfying and accomplished style.

VOCALIST PLEASES

Margaret Fern Melrose, the vocalist of the evening, gave to Radioland many happily chosen songs in her appealing soprano voice of distinctive tonal qualities and wide range. She meets every broadcast requirement both as to voice quality and careful maintenance of uniform volume, even altering her position with respect to the microphone, while she is singing to aid proper modulation.

Margaret Fern Melrose was formerly with the Boston Lyric Opera Company, prima donna with Kolb and Dill, and has filed many vaudeville engagements, including the Orpheum circuit.

The "Mad Scene" from "Lucia" with flute obbligato by Harry C. Knox was particularly effective. At times, it was difficult to tell the voice from the flute, so perfect was the response of each artist. Frances Lidman accompanied the soprano, and also entertained with two solo numbers, playing with charming effect.

As a radio impresario, Harry C. Knox, scored a distinct success and Radioland will remember the program, so artistically arranged and beautifully presented.

SERMON HEARD

As a flutist Mr. Knox never fails to secure an element of poetic and romantic spirit from the character of his interpretations, and combined technical ability with velvet tones.

The morning studio sermon was delivered by Rabbi Ernest R. Trattner of Temple Emanuel Synogogue. His address is printed in full in today's Times. The First Methodist Episcopal Church came on the air at 10:30 a.m., with the usual organ recital and complete services. Arthur Blakeley, organist, played appropriate Christmas numbers in his masterly style, and the sermon of Rev. Elmer E. Helms gave a vivid picture of the birthplace of Christ.

A second organ recital was broadcast before the evening studio program, Mr. Blakeley again filling the ether with Christmas Carols. "Silent Night," sung by Mrs. Dimmitt, was also broadcast by remote control from the church.

NEW ZEALAND HEARS "THE TIMES" STATION

An item in the editorial columns of the Motueka Star of Motueka, N. Z., under the heading of "Wireless Wonders," says—"Listening in to radio concerts broadcasted from New Zealand stations is fairly common in these times, but to sit by one's fireside, so to speak, and enjoy musical entertainments given in far-off Canada and California

Russian String Quartet in Christmas Eve Recital

Russian String Quartet, composed of Caimon Lubovitski, first violin, Morris Stoloff, second violin, Herman Kolodkin, viola, Ossip Giskin, 'cello

C. Allison Phelps, of Suburban Estates Company

Suburban Estates Company Presents Masters in Chamber Music

savors of the extraordinary, but such was the experience of our representative on quite a number of occasions during the past week or two. Accepting the invitation of W. K. Lane, of High street, Motueka, who possesses a Deforest Reflex set, our reporter along with others heard music and speech from KHJ, the Times-Mirror Company, Los Angeles, Cal., quite distinctly through loud speaker, at times as loud as Dunedin CFAC, Western Radio Company, Calgary, Alta, Can., was heard fairly well."

K-H-J The Times RADIOPHONE

TODAY'S PROGRAM

12:30 to 1:15 p.m. Program presenting L. H. La Leavitto, tenor, and Bill Hatch, pianist.

2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Matinee musicals presented by Gertrude Huntington, dramatic soprano, and Winifred Hooke, pianist.

4:45 to 7:30 p.m. Children's program, presenting Baby Muriel MacCormac, screen juvenile. Eugenia Caldwell, reader, 5 years of age. Mary Elizabeth Hughes, 12 years of age, and Helen Edwina Hughes, 8 years of age, will sing duets. "Uncle Remus."

8 to 10 p.m. Program presented by Russian String Quartet—Caimon Lubovisky, first violin; Morris Stoloff, second violin; Herman Kolodkin, viola, and Ossip Giskin, 'cello, through the courtesy of Suburban Estates Company.

Beethoven Quartet, C Minor, No. 4, two movements of Tschaikowsky Quartet; Bach Concerto for two violins, Caimon Lubovisky and Morris Stoloff; viola solo, selected, Herman Kolodkin; 'cello solo, selected, Ossip Giskin; group of quartet numbers, selected, and a talk on appreciation by G. Allison Phelps.

Old Order Changeth Slightly

From generation to generation, man has been able to point out the whereabouts of woman with the mere statement:

"She's putting on the greens."

Fifteen years ago, according to

SAYS EUROPEAN WAR IMPENDING

America Only Can Prevent Crash, Expert Holds

Dr. Roman Sees Countries Heading for Ruin

Declares This Nation Will be Forced to Fight

Europe today is one vast powder magazine needing only a match to touch it off, and only in timely American intervention lies any hope that the explosion may be averted, declares Dr. Frederick W. Roman, close student of European affairs and head of the Department of Education of New York University.

War is inevitable, says Dr. Roman, unless this country takes a hand. Germany, facing economic ruin and governmental disintegration, is in desperate straits. France, saddled with an enormous debt, constantly increasing, sees in the Ruhr her only hope to restore her shattered finances and hence will not change her present policy. England, deprived of the German trade, essential to her prosperity, is steadily approaching an industrial crisis.

Preparations for the impending conflict are constantly going forward. There are 4,700,000 men under arms in Europe today, which is 1,000,000 more than in 1914. War equipment is being improved and augmented. Even in the public schools far more stress is placed on fostering the war spirit than is devoted to teaching the arts of peace.

Dr. Roman, who is a guest at the Clark Hotel, lectured on European conditions before the recent session in Los Angeles of the Southern California Teachers' Association. He has spent many years in Europe, going there for the first time as a student at the universities of Berlin and Paris before the war. In 1913 he was commissioned by the United States Commissioner of Education to make a study of the schools of Europe. He returned from his last European visit only a few months ago.

"What I am giving out in this interview is the substance of what I have said in my lectures," he observed. "I have no desire to be sensational in my statements. I have given the European situation careful study and have reached my conclusions from a dispassionate analysis of the facts as I have found them."

Enlarging somewhat on the condition of each of the principal countries involved, Dr. Roman said that Republicanism has lost its grip in Germany and there is now a strong trend toward a return of monarchy. This movement is led by the Nationalist and Center parties who hold most of the power.

"The return of the former

WHAT THIS CITY NEEDS AT ONCE

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civic center commensurate with the dignity of a great city should be carried to completion. Municipal government should be kept efficient and above reproach.

Leadership. In bringing to fruition these ambitious plans we need leaders of competence and vision. It has been said of Los Angeles that it is a city of leaders, but that each wishes to lead in a different direction so that few movements reach their goal. We must foster a spirit of co-operation and co-ordination among leaders so that plans may not only be conceived but carried to completion under unity of command.

CARGO LANDED BY LIQUOR SHIP

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they said, and so far they have been unable to obtain a clew.

Earlier in the morning, Sergt. Nelson arrested Charles Karamchina and confiscated his automobile when a search of the machine revealed the presence of forty gallons of moonshine liquor.

DOG GUARDS CAR FOR FOUR DAYS

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and snapped, and Gresely drew the hand back.

Gresely is a diplomat with dogs and was rather surprised at this treatment. He tried other blandishments, and thought several times he had the animal quieted. But the dog still made him keep his distance.

At last, after nearly an hour, Gresely got a stick and started scratching the dog's head with it. By this means he got close enough to slip a cord through the dog's collar, yank him out of the car and tie him to a post. Then he inspected the car, but it bore no registration certificate.

The car and dog were taken to police station, where the animal was watered and fed. He was ravenous, and seeing him eat and drink the police were convinced the story of his long vigil was true. The car was being checked up last night by the license plates.

Poker Party Is Given as Cause of Port Shooting

A quarrel over a poker hand caused the shooting last night of John J. Smith, 30 years of age, a longshoreman of 110 West Sixth street, Los Angels Harbor, according to police report. C. A. Sparks, 26, also a longshoreman, of 109 Santa Cruz street, Los Angeles Harbor, did the shooting, according to the police, and is under arrest for attempted murder.

Smith threatened Sparks with a monkey wrench and Sparks threatened Smith with a knife, police say they were told, in Smith's room; the men walked down the street together, still quarreling and at First street and Harbor Boulevard Sparks drew a pistol and shot Smith in the cheek, the bullet passing through Smith's face and lodging in his left wrist.

Smith was taken to General Hospital after treatment by Dr. A. J. Langdon, who said his condition was critical. Sparks was arrested by Officers Wykoff and Johnson.

CANYON CLUB TO ELECT

Members of the Sunset Canyon Country Club will elect a new board of directors, amend the by-laws of the organization, and attend to other matters vital to the club at a meeting called for Thursday at 8 p.m. The meeting will be held at the clubhouse on the grounds of the organization.

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"But times have changed," moans Melford. "I called on a friend last night. Although it was past the dinner hour, he had not eaten. I asked where his wife was.

"He replied dismally, 'Why, she is on the golf course, putting on the greens.'"

COUNCIL ASKED TO AUTHORIZE SIRENS

City Electrician Manahan has asked the City Council for authority in employment of the necessary linemen to install the seventy emergency sirens requested by Police Chief Vollmer and approved by the Council. The sirens will be used to summon policemen to call boxes in emergencies and will enable police headquarters to mobilize the entire department in a few minutes.

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Crown Prince is a sign of the growing monarchistic tendency," he said. "The Monarchists have been held in check by the other three parties thus far, but as to what the final outcome will be no man can tell. A split-up of the country is extremely probable."

In this connection the educator stated that there is very little Bolshevism in Germany. He attributes this mainly to the high degree of literacy among the German people.

"To me the absence of Bolshevism in Germany has demonstrated that, when men can read and write, ultra Red doctrines will not be readily accepted by them," he said, "a fact from which we should take some comfort in this country."

Replying to a question as to what will happen to this country if Europe goes to war, Dr. Roman said that we would have a repetition of our experiences in the former conflict.

"America can't keep her ships off the sea," he said. "It wouldn't be patriotic or consistent with the dignity of this country as a sovereign nation to take such a step. So our ships will continue to sail and sooner or later one or the other of the contending parties will begin to sink them. And in that event there is nothing for America to do but fight. In other words, if war breaks out in Europe, our participation in the conflict is inescapable."

To avert the impending doom, as he sees it, Dr. Roman strongly advocates the abandonment of America's famous policy of splendid isolation.

"It's our only hope," he said. "I believe in the League of Nations, but our intervention need not necessarily take that form. But action of some kind on the part of America is imperative. With its power and prestige it is the only nation in the world today that has any chance of clearing up the European muddle."

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PLEA MADE TO SEE CHRIST IN TRUE SPIRIT OF LOVE

[illegible] Trattner Pays Tribute to Prince of Peace in Sermon Over "Times" Radio

A glowing tribute to the Prince of Peace and an indorsement of the fundamental doctrine that He taught was voiced [illegible] by a rabbi in an address to the KHJ audience from [illegible] broadcasting station. Preaching on "The Real [illegible]," Rabbi Ernest R. Trattner of Temple Emanu-El spoke as follows:

[illegible] has been one of the most [illegible] tasks of biblical scholarship [illegible] uncover the wrappings of [illegible] and legend and reveal to [illegible] the real Jesus. If such [illegible] were more diffused the [illegible] would be happier not only [illegible] of a greater appreciation [illegible] role in history, as one of [illegible] and most worthy ideals [illegible] man, but even greater [illegible] His teachings represent [illegible] only foundation on which [illegible] of genuine progress [illegible] reared. It is unfortunate [illegible] everyone interested in [illegible] a 'pet' conception of [illegible].

[illegible] the socialist Jesus is [illegible] as a forerunner of Karl [illegible]; to the single-taxer He is [illegible] predecessor of Henry [illegible]; to the spiritualist He is [illegible] psychic; to the Christian [illegible] He receives His correct [illegible] setting in the metaphysical [illegible] of Mrs. Eddy. Thus [illegible] every sect, denomination [illegible] manufactures the [illegible] of Jesus it wants.

[illegible] all this indicates that [illegible] of the thought of modern [illegible] its inspiration, right[illegible] wrongly, from this unique [illegible] personality. And [illegible] to me that in all fair[illegible] historical records and out [illegible] to the man himself, we [illegible] be willing to set aside [illegible] conceptions and try to [illegible] the real Jesus. Realizing [illegible] all sorts of influences [illegible] to obscure the real [illegible] of this exalted teacher it [illegible] the supreme joy of the [illegible] this Christmastide to re[illegible] principles in His own [illegible] And may I say at this [illegible] that while Jesus will al[illegible] continue to be intellectual[illegible] by various people in [illegible] nevertheless it is to [illegible] teachings that we may [illegible] the hope of arriving at [illegible].

[illegible] a Jew and a teacher of [illegible] wanted to be partisan [illegible] of Jesus from the [illegible] of the Jew. I could [illegible] rightfully, that Jesus [illegible] a Jew, that he lived a [illegible] that He died a Jew. But [illegible] a tendency to [illegible] message. One of the [illegible] things about Jewish [illegible] is that its greatest pro[illegible] world-wide in scope and [illegible] Because Jesus was [illegible] Jew, His message be[illegible] to the whole [illegible] in the same manner [illegible] and worthy ideals of [illegible] those that embrace [illegible] of mankind. Now, [illegible] a Jew, if I were asked to [illegible] the world the real [illegible] I would interpret Him as [illegible] contribution of the [illegible].

[illegible] I would have [illegible] understand this is [illegible] Jesus preached the [illegible] of love as the greatest [illegible] the life of the individual [illegible] society. Basing His [illegible] the great teachings [illegible] Jesus taught [illegible] manner as to right[illegible] for Himself a sub[illegible] in the hearts of [illegible] all the darkness that [illegible] at this time, amid [illegible] prejudices, its animosi[illegible] barriers to brotherhood, [illegible] a blessing it would be [illegible] to be his fol[illegible] to take to heart his [illegible] he said: 'Ye are My [illegible] if ye have love for one [illegible]' Jesus will never be real [illegible] until Christianity [illegible] central teaching on [illegible]."

[illegible] BOLSHEVISM [illegible] ACCEPT CHRIST

[illegible] Herbert Booth Smith of [illegible] Presbyterian Church [illegible] yesterday on the topic, "[illegible]-Touch of Christmas." [illegible] in part as follows:

[illegible] is like a good fairy [illegible] the somber hues of [illegible] a radiant glow. She [illegible] into poetry. She [illegible] good angel from some [illegible] who ennobles every[illegible] touches until earth be[illegible] a little taste of heaven. [illegible] the best of life the best. [illegible] world is more ac[illegible] to devils than to angels [illegible] something pretty [illegible] make it sit up and [illegible] But Christmas does it. [illegible] trade becomes the [illegible] event of the year. [illegible] of labor has confessed [illegible] to Christ. The [illegible] today an exper[illegible] gigantic scale of what [illegible] to, divorced from [illegible] it in the Bolshe[illegible]. The very men [illegible] to drive Christ out of [illegible] have been compelled to [illegible] God grant that [illegible] world of America may [illegible] that of Russia and [illegible] the Christ-Child in. Christ[illegible] the home life. Christ[illegible] into the world through [illegible] It is peculiarly the fes[illegible] the home and the family [illegible] as long as it lives the [illegible] abide. Christmas has [illegible] the child from disregard [illegible] and put a crown on [illegible] God honored babyhood [illegible] His Son as a babe. [illegible] belongs not to a city or [illegible] a nation, but to the [illegible] It brings the blessing of [illegible] peace on its white [illegible] will but receive it. The [illegible] is the Bethle[illegible]. Human life is [illegible] springs of action so [illegible] the outflow of the [illegible] which had been hard [illegible] before should be [illegible] and melodious and [illegible].

[illegible] PLEADS FOR [illegible]-YEAR CHRISTMAS

[illegible] Brown, pastor of the [illegible] Christian Church, [illegible] yesterday on "The Birth [illegible]." He said in part:

[illegible] years ago the clock [illegible] striking 12 and the [illegible] were swung open. [illegible] among men, as the [illegible] the one who was [illegible] every tyrant, lift up [illegible] establish the reign [illegible] Toward Him every movement of history had pointed the way and in Him all the radiating lines of prophecy meet. He is the glorious hope and morning star of a new day of good will and selflessness.

On that first Christmas Day a new life and ideal were projected into the world that were destined to work its regeneration. The one born that day was cradled in a manger and warmed by the breath of oxen that He might share the privations of the lowliest of men. There was no room for Him in the inn but He has made for Himself the first place in history, art, literature, government and, above all, in human hearts purified by His presence and glorified by divine joy.

Let us pray that the Christmas spirit may prevail the whole year round. We should be glad every day for the birth of a new hope and kind all the while because of the new spirit that was brought from heaven to the hearts of men. It is a travesty on religion to be joyful and glad only at Christmas time."

"GLORY OF GIVING" IS SERMON THEME

Rev. H. C. Culbertson, pastor of the Plymouth Congregational Church, preached yesterday on "The Glory of Giving." He said in part:

"Weary and footsore because of the long journey from Nazareth, the carpenter Joseph and Mary reached Bethlehem to find there was no room in the crowded inn. Of course none of the people knew the special importance of this family, and a throng of other strangers was seeking shelter also; but kindly hands cleared a place for them, and so the child Jesus was wrapped in swaddling clothes and laid in a manger. The first interest taken in His birth was by some shepherds, of the humblest, crudest type of toilers. Joseph and Mary were so poor that although His mother had made a great song about Him, and although she expected her child to be the Messiah and Deliverer of His people, yet when she came to present Him in the temple, she could not afford the price of the regular offering. How much it means to us that God's gift of Jesus came into our world through the gates of poverty and that He knew the burden of daily toil and hardship! It means that He understands our trouble and that whenever we go down into the dark valleys of life we can stretch out our hands and touch Him and know He is beside us and that His love can make our hearts light. Giving and serving are the noblest expression of human nature. Oh, that the thrills and mountain peak experiences of Christmastide could teach us that this is the true purpose and meaning of our lives, and that, whether with much or little, in giving and serving we may keep the Christmas spirit and the Christmas happiness all the year and every year."

PASTOR PREDICTS GREAT REVIVAL

Rev. E. F. Daugherty, pastor of the First Christian Church, preached yesterday on "The Dawning of the New Day." He said in part:

"The church and the world are on the verge of the greatest religious revival humanity has ever known. It is not coming in the triumph of any one denomination over others; nor is it to be appreciated in the supremacy of one doctrine over other doctrines; neither is it discernible in any particular forms, rites, or politics. It is coming in the universal good will amidst humanity that is striving for better expression in conduct through every arena of human life; that is, the struggling of the Spirit of God for larger place amid men, and everywhere folk of good will who are persuaded of love's sufficiency to make life right, are making room for God as revealed of Christ, and they are finding happiness in the effort.

"He came to the manger because of an overcrowded inn. He comes today into the lives of humble folk rather than exalted, because the common people more than the uncommon are looking for the emancipations He affords. The big thing of the Christmas season is its revelation of God in crude, common, obscure parts of our environment and experience."

SAYS TRUE RELIGION IS BASED ON PEACE

"Peace and joy are the basis of Christianity," Rev. William C. Isett declared in his second sermon yesterday at Amanda Chapel, Carthay Center. "It was not until monasticism came into prominence that the gloomy side of Christianity appeared," said Mr. Isett. "Originally intended to promote holiness, it resulted in separating the Christian from the world to such an extent that beauty and holiness seemed unattractive. In New England our early settlers were so hedged about by rules of conduct, imposed by the church, that Puritanism obtained a new meaning never intended by its founders in England. Fortunately, Christmas overrides all formalism and once a year we are really Christians. The spirit of love, of giving, of toleration and helpfulness should be fostered throughout the year."

SEES DAWNING OF A BETTER DAY

Mrs. Aimee S. McPherson, pastor Angelus Temple, preached yesterday on "The Coming of the King." She said in part:

"All statesmen of the world, all political economists, all thoughtful men and women recognize that the conditions existing prior to the war have passed away and that a new order of things must be put in vogue. All such recognize that this is a period now marking the beginning of reconstruction. The great difficulty is that these men are exercising only human wisdom and have ignored the divine arrangement. We are indeed, at the time of reconstruction, the reconstruction not only of a few things but of all things. The reconstruction will not consist of patching up of old and broken-down systems and forms and arrangements, but the establishment of a new and righteous one under the great ruler Christ Jesus, the Prince of Peace."

FIREMEN ANSWER ALARM IN VAIN

False Signal Creates Two New Reasons for Sounding Gong

Someone pulled the fire box at Fifth and Main streets last night. The usual apparatus appeared, but no fire was found.

Searching for the reason for the alarm two theories were advanced. One was that an autoist's gas tank leaked into the street and he wanted the fireman to flood the street to remove the fire hazard.

The second, and probably just as plausible, was that a visitor to the city, emerging from the Pacific Electric station saw a flickering electric sign of red and white lights over a theater, thought it was a fire — pulled the alarm and investigated afterward.

At any rate the year's average of fire loss per alarm dropped a fraction.

SCIENCE IS CALLED HANDMAID OF TRUTH

"The findings of biologists and psychologists must be taken into consideration by the minister of today in his efforts to mold the minds of men for good," Rabbi Edgar F. Magnin declared in his sermon at Temple B'nai B'rith last Saturday.

"I agree with G. Stanley Hall that before man can understand himself and his neighbor he must be thoroughly grounded in the history of the race from the animal stage upward," said Dr. Magnin. "Instead of ridiculing scientific and biological investigation we must acquire as much of it as possible so that we will come to know ourselves and our neighbors in the light of this research."

BAD BLAZE AVERTED BY NAVY TRIO

Fish Wharf Fire is Held in Check by Bravery and Prompt Action

The timely arrival of Lieut. Orville Cope of the U.S.S. Oklahoma and a detachment of men in a water-taxi coupled with the personal bravery of Lieut. Cope and C. W. Gleason, blacksmith, in fighting the flames although seriously burned, prevented possible destruction of the municipal fish wharf at Los Angeles Harbor yesterday. Damage will not run over $5000, it was said.

Injuries received by Lieut. Cope and Gleason consisted of severe burns on the hands and arms. They were treated by Police Surgeon Langan at the Harbor Police Station and were later able to be taken to their ship.

The Navy boat was passing the wharf when a tiny wisp of flame was noticed. The officer immediately headed the craft for the dock and made a landing. A fire alarm was turned in and the combined efforts of the harbor engine company and fire boat put out the blaze.

The efforts of the Navy men in fighting the fire and reporting it to the authorities are given credit for sparing the harbor a disastrous fire. During the past year three fires have ravaged this pier, resulting in more than $100,000 damage, it was said.

SHRINERS IN FINAL YULE CHEER PLEA

Distribution of Gifts of Food and Clothing Will be Made Today

Distribution of hundreds of baskets of food, warm clothing and gifts through the Shriner's Christmas relief will be made today from headquarters at 110 South Spring street. This is the seventeenth annual Christmas relief by this organization in Los Angeles.

A last-minute appeal for donations of money and food was issued yesterday by Motley H. Flint, chairman for the Shriners. There are a larger number of families in want in Los Angeles this year than ever before, Mr. Flint said, in urging generosity. Persons who wish to aid in the campaign are especially requested to make cash gifts, which will be expended in needy cases, Mr. Flint said.

Hundreds of letters have been received by the Shriners' committee from poor people asking that they be remembered this Christmas. It will be impossible to help all of them unless additional donations are made today, it was stated.

PATRIOTIC CLUB ASKS RENEWAL OF PERMIT

In accordance with the ruling of City Prosecutor Friedlander that all organizations coming under the head of "social clubs" are subject to prosecution unless they obtain permits to operate, the Los Angeles branch of the Sons of the Revolution has asked permission of the Police Commission to continue to conduct meetings and maintain the semieducational and patriotic work of the organization. The request was signed by Piers W. Banning, president.

Memento From Famous American Author

36 Highland St.
Roxbury Mass. December 22, 02.

Dear Mr. Wineman—

Tell your children that I told mine after church yesterday, there are three Anniversaries and these three are one.

On the 21st of December is the shortest day of the year. The sun sets earlier than it will set again till next June; and after the 21st, that is, after to-day, for instance every day will be longer than the day before. In other words, the 21st of December means more Light.

The second Anniversary, is the day when the people who introduced self government in the world, that is, the men and women who landed on Plymouth Rock in 1620, landed there, on this same 21st of December on the day which means more Light. They brought the Light of the Four Gospels and of the Life of the Saviour of Men into that

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wilderness of savages, which has been made by their effort into what I call New England. So the lesson of the Pilgrim's Landing is Light in darkness.

The third of the three Anniversaries is Christmas Day of which, as you know, the motto is, "The people who sat in darkness saw a great Light.

The lengthening days shall longer grow,
Till summer rules the land;
From Pilgrim rills full rivers flow,—
Roll stronger and more grand.

So, Father, grant that year by year
The Sun of Righteousness more clear
To our awaiting hearts appear,
And from his doubtful East arise
The needed Monarch of the skies,—
Till darkness from the nations flies;
Till all know him as they are known,
Till all the earth be all his own.

Always yours,
Edw. E. Hale

CHRISTMAS TRIPLY SACRED

Letter Written by Edward Everett Hale Shows Three Great Events Celebrated in One

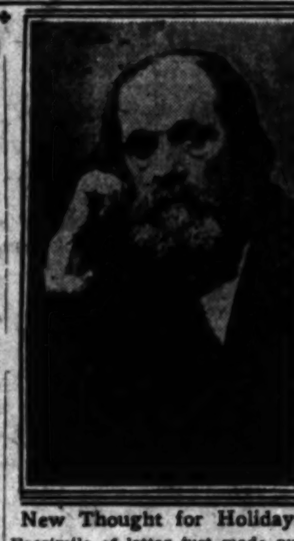
That three anniversaries, instead of one, are celebrated by the Christmas holidays, but that these three are one in that each marks the beginning of a greater light, was the beautiful sentiment expressed by the late Edward Everett Hale, beloved Boston minister and author, in a letter and accompanying poem sent to his friend Mode Wineman twenty-one years ago and herewith reproduced for the first time.

Mr. Wineman, who is now a Pasadena resident and is noted for his camera nature studies, many of which have appeared in the rotogravure section of The Sunday Times, at the time of the receipt of this letter and poem lived in Chicago where he was engaged in sociological work, and the poem was read at the Christmas festivities conducted in 1902 at the Chicago Home for the Friendless.

The photograph of Dr. Hale is a reproduction of an autographed photo presented by the minister to Mr. Wineman under circumstances which the latter says in a peculiar manner recall Dr. Hale's short-story masterpiece, "The Man Without a Country."

"I was at that time making my home at the Quadrangle Club of the University of Chicago," said Mr. Wineman. "One evening I read for the first time Dr. Hale's great story. I had just completed the last page and was sitting with the book in my hand, too deeply overcome by the vivid dramatic situation outlined by the story to even move.

"Suddenly I was startled by hearing steps outside and going to the door I found Dr. Hale there. He instantly perceived my emotion as well as the book, still in my hand, and without a word took the volume and wrote on the fly-leaf an expression of his regret that the story should have stirred me so deeply and the hope that it had not similarly affected others. Then he departed for his own room in the Quadrangle Club, where he had been staying for a month, and presently returned, presenting me with this photograph."



New Thought for Holidays

Facsimile of letter just made public by Mode Wineman is shown above. Edward Everett Hale, its author, is pictured in lower panel.

SANTA BUSY ON YULE EVE RAIL TRAINS

Twenty - six Observation Cars Will be Scenes of Christmas Festivities

Santa Claus is showing an unparalleled burst of speed today, for he's busy catching twenty-six of the fastest trains on the Union Pacific. On each of them he is leaving a tree for the kiddies who have to travel on Christmas Eve, together with everything else that goes to make a reg'lar time instead of a night of dreary travel.

On most of the trains Santa found his usual entrance down the smokestack impractical, but the excitement among the children lost nothing when he clamered over the rail of the observation car. With the big tree and a bigger pack of things that go with it his welcome was not limited to the children by any means, for grown-ups, notified in advance, had a Christmas committee ready for his reception with gay tree-trimming parties planned.

Every train on the entire Union Pacific system carrying an observation car has a tree in time for Christmas Eve.

YULETIDE IN HOTELS

Christmas Singing and Santa Will Be Provided Guests

A blending of the old English Yuletide customs with Southern California atmosphere will mark the celebration of Christmas by the winter guests and residents of hotels of Pasadena.

Christmas Eve will be given over to the decoration of the Maryland and the Vista del Arroyo. The trees in the lobbies will be trimmed by the guests, who will also arrange their gifts on the trees for distribution among their friends.

Christmas carols will herald the dawn of the Christmas Day at both hotels. The vested male choir of All Saints' Church, which adjoins the grounds of the Maryland will make the round of the bungalows in the patio, awakening the sleepers, and will then march through the corridors of the hotel. This service will be led by Percy Shaul Hallett.

The vested mixed choir of the Lake Avenue Congregational Church, under the leadership of Suzanne Gardner, will sing carols at dawn in the gardens, grounds and corridors of the Vista del Arroyo.

After breakfast the children of the two hotels, many of them spending their first Christmas away from the snows of the North and East, will assemble about the giant Christmas trees in the lobbies to wait the visit of Santa Claus.

OIL MEN TO CONFER

To Discuss Greater Safety in Production Operations

A public hearing to consider the tentative petroleum industry safety orders will be conducted in room 908, Pacific Finance Building, on January 3. The orders were drawn up by a committee in which were represented all the various interests engaged in oil production and if approved will be put into effect in an effort to reduce the number of accidents and fatalities attending drilling operations.

A similar hearing was conducted in San Francisco yesterday.

SANTA VISITS WORKERS

About 200 employees of the Samson Rubber Company gathered yesterday afternoon at 337 1-2 South Hill to attend a Christmas party when Santa Claus distributed presents hung on a Christmas tree.

Of the beverages consumed in America only a very small proportion is made from fruits.

CELEBRATION PLANNED

Riverside Couple to Honor Fifty Years of Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Sanker of Riverside, prominent Southern California residents and pioneers of Riverside, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary at Eddie Brandstatters' Crillon Cafe with a golden wedding dinner this evening.

Their son Charles will act as host and master of ceremonies. The guests will include fifty of the immediate family, and a few friends.

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MEASURE FOR MEASURE

Upward of 1000 measures have already been submitted to Congress, although the doors are just thrown open. On the first day Representative Raker, the Democrat who represents the Second California District, deposited fifty-three bills in the hopper and had the glory of knowing that he was high man. No other statesman had even fifty to his credit. Possibly not one of the bills is destined to become a law, but that is not going to cripple the initiative faculties of our politicians. What sort of a country would we have if every measure submitted by a Congressman automatically became a law? Three-fourths of us would be trying to live in the tall timber.

JUMPING THE ALIEN

Several solons have submitted bills in Congress which provide for the deportation of aliens who are convicted of violating the Eighteenth Amendment. But how about the other laws of our beloved land? Is the Volstead Act the only one we have? If we are going into deportation why not ship away some of the alien bigamists, confidence men and general crooks whom we muster from time to time? To merely pick on the guys who make their own moonshine looks like class legislation. A compensating factor is the circumstance that a man who is being punished for home-brewing will not worry much over being deported to a country where they sell it over an open bar.

SCHOOL-DAY THRIFT

Although they say we are an extravagant generation, the savings-bank idea is fairly well intrenched in the minds of the young. There are school banks for the purpose of fostering and accommodating the thrift habit. Four years ago these school depositories had about $400,000 to the credit of their youthful depositors. Now they hold more than $2,000,000 and the idea and example are extending over the land. Even the sedate financiers of the American Banking Association found occasion for comment and consideration. The big jump was declared to be one of the curiosities of banking history and it was said to be a splendid omen for the future of America. Evidently all Young America is not spending its patrimony on joy rides and jazz.

PAYING DEBTS

Great Britain has paid her second annual installment upon her indebtedness to the United States. The amount was $22,000,000, of which over $60,000,000 applied on interest. It will be seen that it will be some time before any appreciable dent is made in the principal. It is interesting to note that of this large payment $22.16 was in actual money. The millions were in bonds and stocks acceptable to Uncle Sam under the agreement made at the time of the adjustment of the obligation. It might also be mentioned at this time that the new republic of Finland has also made its first payment upon the loan made by Uncle Sam. It has sent over some $150,000 as an evidence of good faith. We still have quite a bunch of governments to hear from.

THE NATIONAL GAME

Another crying need of the age is a baseball college and some of the magnates of the game are moving in the matter. We have an electoral college and a barbers' college, but there is no baseball university, although considerable attention is paid to this branch of training in the schools we have. But with brainy stars in the game worth from $50,000 to $200,000 apiece on the hoof, the idea of baseball as a business career is easy to contemplate. Brains in the game is the big idea and how could they be better developed than by a specialized course in a regularly ordained baseball university? Some of our well-worn umpires might find places on the faculty and all the intellectual points of the game could be explained, while the tyro was also acquiring prowess with the willow. Southern California would be a fine location for a full-fledged diamond university.

A COLUMBUS MEMORIAL

Now there is a definite project to erect the greatest lighthouse in the world at Santo Domingo. It would be designed as a flaming memorial to Christopher Columbus, whose bones are supposed to rest in the neighboring cathedral churchyard. It is proposed that the beacon surpass the Eiffel Tower in stature and its beams be made visible to mariners the length and breadth of the Caribbean Sea. The humble Dominicans are already raising $100,000 toward the cost and, naturally, the Americans will be expected to furnish most of the money. It will cost $2,000,000 at least, but will be the most impressive monument that could be devised to the name, fame and memory of the great admiral. Columbus established his first settlement on the island of Santo Domingo, and it was for years the seat of Spanish government on this hemisphere. Spain may therefore be asked to subscribe liberally and heartily toward the construction of the Columbus beacon. It may well be considered as a world enterprise.

NO COMPROMISE WITH CRIME

Secretary Hughes's laconic response to the proposal of the Moscow government to open negotiations with the United States has roused the ire of some of the professional radicals, but it has received the unreserved commendation of the people of this country as a whole.

The soviets now know that it is fruitless to approach the present administrations with suggestions for compromising a principle. We are accustomed to demand justice as a right, not to implore it as a favor. We demand our rights. If necessary, we fight for them; but we never bargain or pay tribute for them.

In response to the suggestion that, in return for certain privileges granted by our government, the soviets might make partial restoration of stolen property the Secretary of State said:

> If the soviet authorities are ready to restore the confiscated property of American citizens or to make effective compensation they can do so. If the soviet authorities are ready to repeal their decree repudiating Russia's obligations to this country, and recognise them, they can do so. It requires no conference or negotiation to accomplish these results, which can and should be achieved at Moscow as an evidence of good faith.

This reply is firm, even to the point of harshness; but it is language whose meaning is unmistakable. It is a reiteration of the common-law principle that a supplicant must come into court with clean hands. The soviets did not seek our advice or consent when they repudiated national pledges and robbed and slew American citizens. We declined to recognise a government guilty of such practices. Until they make voluntary reparations there can be no treaty of amity between them and us.

Russia is suffering as no nation of modern times has suffered; and it is wholly through its own acts. It elected to make a mockery of justice, honor and religion, to scoff at the rights of other nationals and to disregard and deride international law. Now it is paying the price.

Five years ago The Times said editorially: "Bolshevism is a gangrene that has formed about Russia's wounds." That was at the beginning of the dictatorship of the soviets, which has proved, as The Times predicted, to be a disease, not a remedy.

Russia's experience has been a terrible one; but it has served as a warning to other peoples that were flirting with Marxist Socialism. The policy of nationalising property, commerce and industry was one that had been preached in England and America for two generations. Russia took the chance; and her loss is a warning that the present generations will not forget.

In its influence on the world at large the Bolshevik experiment has served as a moral and economic vaccination. Russia has suffered, and through her suffering the rest of the world has become immune.

Whether that vaccination was necessary, in order that civilization as a whole might be protected from a social and moral disease, is a subject for speculation; for there can be no material proof. We know when a thing has happened; for it then becomes a fact. All else is speculation, prophecy.

Through the Russian experience Socialism has been tried and found wanting. And the soviets themselves have come to realize that their nationalization plan will not work. They are getting back to the system that they repudiated; but they want to stop halfway. That is not possible. The policy of the present administration is that they must make atonement before there can be any consideration of accepting them again in the comity of nations.

The world has demonstrated that it can live without Russia; and the soviets have discovered that they cannot live in a state of isolation. There can be no vindication for them; the only path open is that of repentance.

THE LATEST CURSE

The Board of Indian Commissioners reveals the surprising fact that the Indians of the Southwest are becoming addicted to the dope habit. It is especially difficult to combat this, as the narcotic they use is obtained from a variety of the cactus plant known as peyote that grows luxuriantly in arid regions. The plant resembles a carrot and the top is covered with a fuzzy substance, which is eaten by the unfortunate victim of the habit.

The commissioners have petitioned Congress to authorise its suppression, but it hesitates to do so, as the drug is apparently essential to certain religious rites prevailing among the Indians, and difficulties have arisen before from interfering in these. The drug produces hallucinations of a very vivid kind and when used in religious rites causes violent frenzy. Once taken, however, the Indian continues its use regularly, at other times than those dedicated to ceremonials.

According to Dr. Harvey Wiley and Havelock Ellis, the plant produces one of the most dangerous drugs obtainable today. The victim is left in a daze after his hallucinations have passed and in a surprisingly short time suffers complete mental deterioration. Its action is much more rapid than that of the other habit forming drugs commonly use.

THANKLESS CHILDREN

Officials of the Legal Aid Society have been knitting their learned brows to discover who were the champion home-breakers. The prize did not go to either blondes, brunettes or redheads. Gray hairs carried off the palm. It was found that mothers-in-law lead all others as wreckers of homes.

According to the society, there are three reasons for mother-in-law causing such havoc. "First, no mother thinks another woman's child is good enough for her own; second, she frequently sees in the marriage of her child the thwarting of her plans and ambitions; third, where the boy or girl was a wage-earner the mother dislikes sharing her accustomed income with another." The last sounds most unmotherly and selfish. One imgaines that there are not many mothers who interfere in their children's lives from mercenary motives.

The Legal Aid Society must be largely comprised of men. It is evident that they do not understand the feminine complex. The average mother always looks upon her offspring as little children long after they have attained to man's or woman's estate. There may be a few who break up their children's homes from pure meanness, but for the most part they offer their unwanted criticism and advice from the mistaken idea that they are helping the children to avoid domestic and financial pitfalls.

This is more or less confirmed by the Legal Aid Society admission that the mother-in-law's harmful activities are largely confined to the poor. Among families in comfortable circumstances she is not an important factor in causing divorce. She may regard her child's matrimonial partner as a cradle snatcher and wholly unworthy of her treasure, but for the most part she holds her peace.

TOO MUCH MODERNITY

Is not the present generation pushing the rage for the modern vogue to unfortunate extremes; unfortunate because in some cases it leads to substituting machine-made shoddy for the hand work of master artisans?

There are some traditions of our civilized life that even could they be improved by the sophisticated modern—a wild supposition in any case!—we should still be inclined to say of them, "Hands off!" And first of these sacred traditions is the text of the Bible, unchanged, unabridged, untampered with.

We believe that the majority of those in hearty sympathy with new thought and new conditions will read with mixed feelings that biblical scholars are about to rewrite in modern language the books of the Old Testament, even though the writers be trained in the University of Chicago. We know that all those who love the rich and strong simplicity in which the mighty dramas of the Old Testament are revealed to us—and its poetry and its philosophy—will hardly care to see these reclothed and refashioned to measure down to the literary standards of the twentieth century.

Any modern supposed to be capable of improving the text of the Old Testament books should first be compelled to write three up-to-date plays in language that would make the best efforts of William Shakespeare read like the rejected first story of a tyro. When he has advanced so far he might be considered eligible to go into training for the larger task with the hope, by the time he had reached the three-score-and-ten-year limit, of being considered worth a trial on the rewriting of the first three chapters of the Book of Genesis.

But for some swiftly confident young pen men to believe that by modernising the language and presenting the great truths of those twenty-eight immortal books in a less archaic form they can thereby make the Bible more attractive to twentieth-century readers argues on their part a misinterpretation of the dramatic, poetic and religious spirit of a large majority of the American people.

Science advances, culture advances, philosophy advances; the present age is the most progressive and wide-awake, the first in achievement, the broadest in intelligence of any world era. But there are some things in the past it cannot touch nor alter except to the detriment of the eternal soul behind these transient changes.

And chief among these is the Bible of our forefathers.

FARMING IS A BUSINESS

Wheat farmers this year have suffered from the operation of a law that cannot be modified by any act of Congress—the law of supply and demand. The American farmer knows this. He is far more awake to the business methods that determine the profit or loss of his ventures than the mere vote-catching politician gives him credit for.

In answer to the warning of experts the wheat farmer is revising his program for 1924. According to figures furnished by the Department of Agriculture there will be a reduction of 12.6 per cent in the acreage sown to wheat. The figures are closely in line with the department's recommendation and should prove to the politicians that the farmers trust more to government advice than to political promises.

What would be a profitable crop to substitute on the acreage withdrawn from the growing of wheat? Each farmer is, of course, the best judge of this, since he knows better than any outsider the possibilities of his particular soil and climate. But here, at any rate, are two suggestions from the "demand" side of the equation.

Flaxseed, used for the manufacture of linseed oil, is at present imported in large quantities. This year the production of native flaxseed will be less than half of the nation's requirements. Ninety per cent of the American flax production, moreover, came from regions where the farmers have complained most bitterly about the unprofitable wheat crops. On account of the scarcity of flax pure linen goods have reached an almost prohibitive price.

Flax grows as readily in America as it does in Ireland. Yet in Ulster the linen industry is the second great revenue producer of the state.

Another point made by experts is that, while the consumption of wheat is declining, the consumption of sugar is increasing. Sugar is another commodity of which the imports exceed the home production. No complaints of hard times are heard in the sugar-beet growing districts of Utah and Idaho.

Here are two matters, at any rate, on which the business men of the city and the business men of the soil might well get together for the benefit of everyone concerned.

THE DIFFERENCE

Contrasts between American and Canadian methods of handling immigration are being brought out by magazine writers and the comment is not to the advantage of our own country. Canada wants a certain type of immigrants and would avoid all others. Therefore, it goes out to obtain the sort wanted—even to the extent of advertising for them. The government makes the trip an easy one for them and seeks to place them on the land after they have arrived. There are government agents in Antwerp, Paris and the chief places where immigration originates, and no one is admitted to Canada unless his passport is vised by one of these officials. Steamship companies are warned against furnishing passage to any others. Instead of trying to sift out what it doesn't want, after they have landed—after the American plan, Canada officially invites the ones expressly desired. This would seem to be the sensible mode.

ON THE HIP

Optimism is being carried to extremes in certain circles. Witness the fact that some of the jewelers are advertising dainty pocket flasks as desirable holiday gifts.

Somebody Is Going to Be Disappointed

[Protected by George Matthew Adams.]

RIPPLING RHYMES

CHRISTMAS

Oh, Christmas, good old Christmas, you're with us once again! And for a while we sing and smile and love our fellowmen. The ancient grudge forgetting, we hunt up Smith and Jones and wish them joy without alloy, dad burn their ancient bones. Has Johnson done us evil? Ah, well, we let it slide; a man forgets to square such debts when comes the Christmas tide. Have roads been rough and rocky on which we've had to tread? It's Christmas Day, so let's be gay, the roads are fine ahead. Have friends been cold and captious until our hearts were sore? The day is braw, their hearts will thaw, they'll be our friends once more. Are we grown old and wintry, with tired and spavined limbs? Forget the years of stress and tears and sing the Christmas hymns. And frolic with the little ones about the Christmas tree and hear the chimes and quote old rhymes and carols fine with me. God rest you, merry gentlemen, God keep you, cheery wives; on Christmas Day no trouble gray should darken human lives.

WALT MASON.

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PEN POINTS

Why doesn't somebody down in Mexico compete for that Nobel peace prize?

If the little German boys live long enough they will all be Chancellors some day.

An eastern concern advertises to turn out movie stars in a dozen lessons. Why so long?

It is understood that, with the recent quake season, the seismographs have struck for an eight-hour day.

There is great fun ahead, let joy be unconfined. The Standard Oil Company is to be investigated by the government—again.

Ex-Senator Cornelius Cole of Los Angeles, who is now in his 102nd year, is still in excellent health. He is beginning to get the hang of it.

The courts of South Dakota hold that the name of Hiram Johnson cannot go on the primary ballot in that State. Hung be the heavens with black.

Why would it not be a good idea to change the laws so that a member of Congress should not be able to collect salary until both branches got down to work. It might help a lot.

We should like to see some hard-headed business man like President Calvin Coolidge undertake the job of settling things in Europe. There would be a way out seen in thirty days.

A Chicago specialist says that women will soon be able to live until they are 100 years old. We saw one of the kind on Broadway the other day, but from the rear view she looked like a million dollars.

The managers of the Pacific Coast League are hustling for next year's teams. And when they are completed they will be made up of athletes who are thought to be coming or those who are known to be going.

The adventurers of science who have just returned from a trip to the Mongolian plateau with twenty-five fossilined dinosaur eggs figure that they are 10,000,000 years old. How'll you have them, scrambled or on the side?

The current idea that President Coolidge is not a clever politician is fast disappearing. And he is acting for all the world like a man who is going to do what he thinks is right and let the other fellows go hang. It is much relief to have that sort of a Chief Executive.

THIS IS THE DAY

The Treaty of Ghent was signed between the United States and England in the year 1814, thus ending the War of 1812. The American commissioners who signed it were John Quincy Adams, Albert Gallatin, James A. Bayard, Henry Clay and Jonathan Russell. Strange to say, the treaty was silent on the questions that caused the war, the impressment of seamen and the searching of merchant ships at sea.

WHY WRITERS FAIL

BY H. C. WIRE

[Mr. Wire was formerly an editor on the staff of a well-known national circulation.—Ed. Times.]

James J. has a college education; all sound and good and locked with a Phi Beta Kappa key. James J. "made" the staff of his school paper, he was a shark in his comp courses, he was elected to half a dozen literary societies. Beyond a doubt his life work is already marked. He will be a writer.

So, fresh from the classroom, James J. takes himself into seclusion and sits down to write great stories. He writes them in faultless style, wherein words sit up, lie down, roll over and beg. He follows his rules of technique—Composition B24, 10:15, Mon. Wed. Fri.—to a letter. Then he sends his stories out.

Do they return? Yes, verily! Again and yet again.

ANOTHER BUDDING GENIUS

Sarah Mary Ann comes from a city to teach school in an Arizona district. She, too, writes stories. No doubt Sarah Mary Ann has the opportunity to look deeply into the lives of the mountain children who straggle many miles afoot, on burros or in wagons to attend her little school in the valley. Here is a side of human life few people ever know. Interesting!

But Sarah Mary Ann saw a round-up once. So she writes a gripping western novel, filled with he-man stuff, local color (in pastel tints) and beautiful sentiment concerning the hero (who loved his horse.)

Sarah Mary Ann still has that story.

Here seem to be the two main types of persons who write the mass of manuscripts that pour upon an editor's desk, pause only a short while, then are marked with that heartless R; which means back to home and mother.

James J. has the command of words, but no experience either from life or books out of which to build a story. Sarah Mary Ann turns from familiar subjects to write about something that she has barely glimpsed.

A recent tabulation of rejections and their reasons by the writer of this piece, then on the staff of one of the national action-fiction magazines, showed surprising facts.

FEW ARE CHOSEN

Approximately 20,000 stories were read during the period of a year and out of that enormous stack of "brain children" sent in from all parts of the world 200 were accepted; an average of one story bought out of every 100 submitted. This, of course, did not include those from established writers.

To anyone but a hardened staff reader the contemplation of such wasted effort would be cause enough for nervous prostration. What prayers, what hopes, what anticipations go out with these manuscripts only the editor who reads the letters usually accompanying them can know.

"Dear sir," writes a man from Ohio, "I have been five months gathering the material for this story. I do hope it will find your favor."

Perhaps it will take five minutes to reject the thing. For, as the late Walter H. Page said when he was editor of the Atlantic Monthly: "If I could breakfast I need not tell of it to know that it is with a story; for one page shows the whole.

HUMOROUS LETTERS

The self-styled humorous school of correspondence letters of another [illegible] ate writes:

"Dear sir: I [illegible] story that was [illegible] awarded by the [illegible] versity of Fiction [illegible] out of $500 [illegible] of the 2000 [illegible] the same thing [illegible] story to your [illegible]

"So forth and so on ad infinitum."

Again the humorous [illegible] morons side. One [illegible] gave the whole staff a [illegible]

"To the editor. Sir: If you can't buy this story don't send me any more of it. I little, old rejection slips. I a million already."

Admirable endorsement! No doubt there was a real [illegible] behind the bravado of the [illegible] and a stab of pain with [illegible] came back.

One out of 100 accepted sends in the ends!

THE "DUDE"

Disregarding the [illegible] lessly impossible [illegible] in by illiterates, children [illegible] inhabitants of Greenwich [illegible] the greatest number of [illegible] manuscripts come from [illegible] class. They make [illegible] sentences, full of [illegible] and follow classroom rules [illegible] try-writing. But [illegible] nothing said, in quite a [illegible] words!

Samuel Butler wrote [illegible] textbook in this [illegible] are like moses; there is [illegible] useless, unless when [illegible]

Running close second [illegible] J. comes Sarah Mary Ann; [illegible] son who can tell a story [illegible] without being [illegible] much conscious [illegible] never seems to hit upon [illegible] thing to tell. To use an [illegible] pression: "The story [illegible] true."

HOW AND WHO

Too many young writers [illegible] old ones also, seeking [illegible] success are [illegible] under the idea that one needs only [illegible] edge of how to write and [illegible] what.

Of course, there are [illegible] other reasons why manuscripts [illegible] rejected. There is the army [illegible] dividuals who simply want [illegible] it, although they are [illegible] tend for the profession. [illegible] the repeated statement [illegible] bricklayer and his not an [illegible] fiction is not so true [illegible] with the gentlemen of [illegible] drawing $10 a day and [illegible]

It is more often the [illegible] men and women, [illegible] in any definite work, [illegible] acceptance of [illegible] prospects around the [illegible]

[From the Martian "Observer."]

On earth, outward appearances are often deceiving. The casual Martian observer, for instance, would not conclude that Americans are the most religious and scientific people on that planet, yet study of the evidence shows that they must be.

This will amaze some of our readers, even though it was duly observed here that a Pasadena professor has just been awarded the Nobel prize for physics, for it must be admitted that Americans, generally, are rather modest about displaying either their extreme leanings toward science or those toward religion. Except for the recent astonishing spurts in Bible-class attendance in Long Beach and Kansas City we had rarely noticed them displaying greater enthusiasm for religious instruction than for baseball, football and prize fights. And, though the recent eclipse of earth by the moon and finding of the Santa Barbara man, started plenty of them talking about scientific things, we had thought we observed enough current misinformation and inaccurate knowledge to suggest that they had never taken half the interest in science, as a people, as they have in motion-picture stars.

Yet incontrovertible evidence is a hard thing to get around in Mars, though it seems to be done pretty frequently on earth. And we have incontrovertible evidence that the American people are passionately devoted to science and religion.

This evidence is found in the amazing amounts of spirituous liquors still manufactured in the United States.

It is against the law there now to manufacture and disseminate alcoholic beverages except for scientific and religious purposes, therefore a survey of the amounts still made is convincing. For are not the Americans law-abiding people?

It is inconceivable that they are not, for they have the best government on earth, the land of greatest opportunity and most equal justice, and every natural incentive to national pride and loyalty. To assert that such a people were not law-abiding would be to accuse them of such disloyalty and ingratitude as certainly must be far beneath them.

Thus it is clear that America's glory has only begun. For a law-abiding people, so blessed by Nature and their own government, and with such a passion for religion and science, cannot fail to rise steadily in greatness and goodness until, in time, they may measure up to even our standards.

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[B]y H. C. WIRE

[...] on the staff of a well-known magazine [...] —Ed. Times.)

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HUMOROUS LETTERS

The self-styled "correspondence school of story-writing" furnishes letters of another sort. A "graduate" writes:

"Dear sir: I am sending you the story that won the first prize awarded by the Blahoo Blah University of Fiction. I was selected out of 2000 competitors (each one of the 2000 competitors was told the same thing) to submit the story to your magazine. It . . . ." So forth and so on ad infinitum . . . gentle cow!

Again the letters have their humorous side. One in particular gave the whole staff a chuckle.

"To the editor. My dear [sir]: If you can't buy this story, please don't send me any more of those little, old rejection slips. I've [got] a million already."

Admirable endurance! Yet no doubt there was a real heart-[ache] behind the bravado of that letter and a stab of pain when the [story] came back.

One out of 100 accepted! Who sends in the duds?

THE "DUDS"

Disregarding the "slush"—[hope]lessly impossible stuff, usually [sent] in by illiterates, children and inhabitants of Greenwich Village—the greatest number of unsold manuscripts come from James [...] class. They make well-constructed sentences, full of pretty phrases and follow classroom rules for story-writing. But there is no [thing] nothing said, in spite of [the] words!

Samuel Butler wrote a complete textbook in this epigram: "Words are like money; there is nothing useless, unless when in use."

Running close second to James J. comes Sarah Mary Ann; the person who can tell a story well without being tied up with much conscious technique, yet never seems to hit upon the right thing to tell. To use an office expression: "The story doesn't ring true."

HOW AND WHAT

Too many young aspirants, and old ones also, seeking magazine success are inclined toward the idea that one needs only the knowledge of how to write; never mind what.

Of course, there are countless other reasons why manuscripts are rejected. There is the army of individuals who simply must be [writ]ing, although they are totally unsuited for the profession. However, the repeated statement that every bricklayer and his son are writing fiction is not so true these days, with the gentlemen of the trade drawing $10 a day and upward.

It is more often the college-[bred] men and women, without training in any definite work, who keep the acceptance of amateur [literary] products around the 1 to 100 [ratio].

A GOOD MARKSMAN

Bill Taylor was a particularly tall, thin person; in fact, several of his friends referred to him as "Bones."

One night a number of his acquaintances joined him in a party. In an unguarded moment one of them drew a revolver; it [was] accidentally discharged and the bullet struck Taylor [...]. Terrified, the owner of the weapon hastened to the house of the nearest doctor.

"I have just shot Bill Taylor in the leg!" he exclaimed. "Come quick!"

But the doctor paused on the threshold, viewing the man with admiring eyes. "You mean to say that you actually shot Bill Taylor in the leg?"

"Yes."

"Then all I have to say is that was a mighty good shot," was the doctor's response, as he prepared to go to Bill.—[Philadelphia Ledger.]

NO TIME TO SCOLD

A Boston physician who was on a western trip with his wife wired home that they would return Sunday on the 10 p.m. train. Their two children, aged 9 and [...], were to meet them, but received definite instructions not to do so.

When their parents arrived at 11:30, their train being an hour and a half late, they were surprised to see Ernest and Alice waiting for them on the platform. The mother hurried forward to expostulate, but was cut off by the shrill voice of Alice crying, "Hurry up, mother. Don't stop to talk. The taxi's up to $7.60 already."—[Boston Transcript.]

CHRISTMASTIDE

Amid the rush and swirl of [...]
The music and discordant [...]
Amid earth's joys—amid its [...]
The blessed Christmastide [comes]
in.
Soft, fleece-like snow descends [...]
earth,
Like angel footsteps, [...]
And drifts among the [...]
pines
That stand in silent majesty [...]

A sudden thrill—as though [...]
tone
Of long-lost, long-sought [...]
Unto the lifted soul were borne—
From heart of far Alcyone—
Or from the matchless Pleiades—
Or trembling Vega's mystic [...]
As though the music of the [...]
Inspired our music just begun.

Oh, mystery of peace and love
Begun one Christmas long ago—
A heaven of love brought down to
earth
To make a heaven of peace [...]
low.
Oh, King of Kings, we bring to Thee
Our gifts of life resounding—
won—
The myrrh of pain—love from [...]
fire
That lights the universal sun.

EVA G. TAYLOR.

[T]AKE YULE SPIRIT BEHIND PRISON BARS

County Jail Inmates Given Musical Treat

[...] Tyroler at piano; Miss Leonore Montgomery in black coat, Matron McDaniel and some of the women prisoners.

A LITTLE of the Christmas spirit seeped in through the barred windows of the [county] jail yesterday and murderers, burglars and bootleggers forgot for a while the rows on rows of bricks that kept the sun[light out].

[William] Tyroler, famous leader [...], and Miss Lenore Montgomery spent several hours yesterday afternoon playing and singing for the prisoners. Their first concert was given in the women's quarters, and while Miss Montgomery sang the inmates forgot their color line and their past [...] and white, Mexican, [Chinese] and negro drew together.

[Later] another piano was utilized [and so] placed that all the men in the tanks below could have the benefit of the concert. Jailer [...] had had both pianos [tuned] in anticipation of the visit of Mr. Tyroler and Miss Montgomery.

Miss Montgomery sang Henschel's "Morning Hymn," Rummel's "Ecstasy," "Life and Death" by Coleridge-Taylor, "Giannina Mia" from "The Firefly," and several old-time favorites.

Hundreds of Christmas presents [were] delivered yesterday to the [prisoners] by friends and relatives or [...] to be distributed [...].

[Tr]ansfusion of [Bl]ood Is Again [Gi]ven Woolwine

[An]other blood transfusion was [given] yesterday to Thomas Lee [Woolwine], former District Attorney of this county, in Paris, according to cable dispatches, but [the operation] was declared considerably improved. Mr. Woolwine [has been] seriously ill for some [time and] is not yet out of danger, [the dispatches] said.

YULETIDE TRAVELERS HOME

Liner Kroonland Reaches Dock With Huge List of Passengers from Ports of World

California skies and a glorious sunrise greeted the 415 Christmas passengers arriving at the port at dawn yesterday from New York and Havana aboard the Panama-Pacific liner Kroonland. They formed the final contingent of a total of more than 1100 passengers coming into Los Angeles Harbor during the twenty-four hours ending yesterday noon.

Frederick O'Brien, the Los Angeles novelist who wrote "White Shadows of the South Seas," returned home aboard the Kroonland after an eight-months' trip through Europe.

Mr. O'Brien announced that he will spend the winter at his home in Glendale, writing a biographic novel of Los Angeles, starting with the city's boom days of the early nineties and the events incident to the march to Washington of Coxie's Army under "General" Lewis Frey — of which organization Mr. O'Brien was himself a member.

POET ARRIVES

Another prominent figure in the American literary field, G. F. Whitcomb, was an arrival on the Kroonland. Mr. Whitcomb, poet and playwright and the author of two books of verse, "Eagle Quills" and "Jewels of Romance," is en route to the South Seas to secure material for his latest play. He will spend several weeks in this city.

Other notable passengers disembarking from the Kroonland here included Col. Webb C. Hayes, U.S.A., retired, son of former President Hayes, and a hero of the Cuban campaign of the war with Spain. Col. Hayes, accompanied by his wife, will resume a tour of the world after the couple spend the holidays with their son in San Diego.

They will sail for Hongkong on the Dollar around-the-world liner President Hayes, the ship named in honor of Col. Hayes's father.

C. E. Taylor, local exporter, came home yesterday aboard the Kroonland for the first time in six years, during which interval he has completed three business trips around the world. Mr. Taylor expressed surprise at the growth of the local port, the name of which he says has been carried to every commerce center throughout the world.

Of the 415 passengers arriving on the Kroonland, 300 disembarked at this port, the remaining 115 continuing to San Francisco last night.

Ship Engineer Found Dead in Harbor Hotel

James T. Wilbur, 46 years of age, a marine engineer living at 432 South Palos Verdes street, Los Angeles Harbor, was found dead in a room of a hotel at 236 West Fourth street. Police surgeons were unable to determine the cause of his death although they believed it was due to natural causes.

An inquest probably will be conducted tomorrow at the Cleveland Undertaking Company at the harbor.

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(Main Floor)

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(Second Floor)

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(Main Floor)

BOTTLED CHEER IN HOLD-UP

Bandits Get Champagne and Auto of Victim; South Main Drug Store Proprietor Gives up $250

Three cases of champagne, an automobile, and cash totaling more than $300 was the loot obtained by hold-up men in two daring robberies staged during the early morning hours yesterday, according to police reports.

While scores of late shoppers stood outside his drug store while he was preparing to close up for the night, two negroes entered the place and robbed I. Silversmith of 351 South Main street of $250 in cash and $96 in checks, according to reports made by the proprietor to Detectives Dryden and Vail, shortly after midnight, Saturday.

Silversmith said the men entered and asked to be shown some toilet articles and when he bent down behind a case to oblige them, one of the men shoved a revolver against his back and commanded him to keep silent while the other rifled the cash register.

Leon Cratch of 3570 Arlington street was laying in his store of Christmas cheer, he told officers, when he encountered six bandits in an old touring car while he was driving on Wilshire Boulevard near the Los Angeles Country Club. He said that three of the bandits were armed with shotguns and forced him to get out of his car, robbed him of $11 in cash and then ordered him to walk down the road with his hands in the air.

The robbers then drove off with Cratch's automobile which contained three cases of champagne.

Another bandit who "sandbagged" J. C. Dale of 1547½ West Seventh street at Sixth and Figueroa streets was frightened away when his intended victim ran up to two pedestrians near by and fell unconscious at their feet. At the Receiving Hospital, where Dale was taken, Police Surgeon Dunsmoor stated that the man had received a severe blow on the back of the neck and that the injury, while exceedingly painful, was not regarded as serious.

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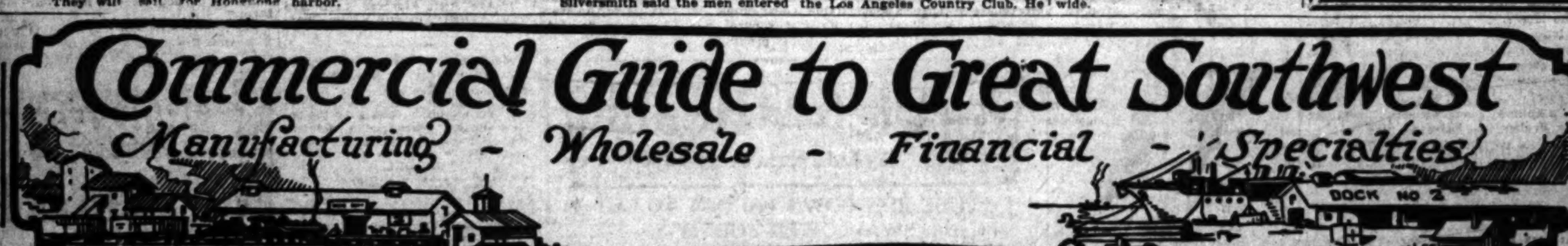

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[...] TITLE COMPANIES [...]

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Home Hints Entertainment

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SOCIETY

BY CORA YOUNG

Mrs. Albert Sherman Hoyt, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Everett Griswold, following their usual custom, have sent out cards for a buffet luncheon on New Year's Day at Mrs. Hoyt's beautiful home, Hillcrest, in South Pasadena.

The affair will follow the tournament in Pasadena on that day and precede the game of the afternoon.

Breakfast Ride

Miss Rievera Cohan of North New Hampshire avenue entertained in honor of Miss Miriam Davis of Paris, France, who is her house guest, with a delightful riding party and breakfast, on Thursday morning. The breakfast was served in one of the picturesque canyons near Hollywood.

At the Crags

Complimenting Miss Lorraine Rowan and Mr. Robert McAdoo, whose marriage will take place on Christmas Day, and Miss Betty Hixon and Dr. Paul Hunter, who are to be married January 3, Mr. and Mrs. William May Garland entertained at the Crags Country Club over the week-end with a delightful house party.

Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Heyler will entertain twenty guests at dinner Christmas Eve at the brilliant party in the Ambassador Cocoanut Grove. Mr. and Mrs. Heyler are passing the winter at the Ambassador.

Told at Luncheon

At a Christmas luncheon given by Miss Elizabeth Speicher of south Vermont avenue on Saturday, the engagement of Miss Helen Meek to Mr. Melvin L. Anderson of this city was announced. Miss Meek is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Justin W. Meek of Crenshaw Boulevard. She is a Stanford girl and a member of Delta Gamma sorority. Mr. Anderson is a graduate of the University of California and a member of Delta Upsilon fraternity. The date for the wedding has not been announced.

Home for Holidays

Miss Hortense Barnhart Jones arrived from New York a few days ago to spend the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Jones of West Thirtieth street.

Luncheon Guests

Mrs. Homer Eads was hostess Thursday at a handsomely appointed luncheon for a group of guests at the Mary Louise. The decorations were in the holiday colors, silver candlesticks with red shades contributing to the beauty of the table.

Mrs. Eads is entertaining through the season with a series of luncheon parties.

Marriage Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Newman announce the marriage on Wednesday of their daughter, Miss Belle, to Mr. Ernest Franken of this city, at their home on South Ardmore avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Franken have gone north for their honeymoon, and upon their return will make their home here.

For Northern Guests

In honor of the members of Chi Omega from Stanford and Berkeley who are here for the holidays, the Los Angeles alumni chapter will entertain Wednesday evening of this week with a dinner at the sorority house on North New Hampshire. An interesting evening is anticipated. The entertainment is to be given by the pledges of the Gamma Beta chapter of University of California, Southern Branch. Mrs. Jay Holbrook and Miss Vera Tracy are in charge of the arrangements.

Bridge and Mah Jongg

Misses Ruth and Gladys Mann gave a smart bridge and mah jongg tea Thursday afternoon at their home on Crenshaw Boulevard. The Misses Mann are two charming Southern girls who have come to Los Angeles to make their home.

Sorority Tea

Kappa Delta Sorority at the University of Southern California entertained with one of the most interesting teas to be given on the campus before school closes for the Christmas holiday at their sorority home, Sunday afternoon. The affair, which took the form of a silver tea, was given as a benefit for a crippled children's hospital in Virginia. Invitations were extended to the active and alumnae chapters of the organization.

Eastern Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Lee C. Trow are entertaining as their house guests Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Glover and Mr. J. P. Schuseler of St. Paul, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. Lee, formerly of the Chateau Apartments, are now making their home at the Barbara Hotel on Westlake avenue.

Smart Events

Entertaining with charming little parties at the "College Night" in the Ambassador Cocoanut Grove on Friday evening were Mr. C. H. Braley and six friends; Mr. J. S. Holmes; Mr. F. L. Wilkes and four friends.

Many large dinner parties were given in the Cocoanut Grove on Saturday evening. Those who made reservations were Mr. G. L. Alspach, party of eight; Mr. Harry Rubloff, party of seven; and Mr. J. Norton, party of six.

A number of Christmas Eve parties are being given at the Ambassador tonight by well-known Los Angeles people. The Grove has been charmingly decorated to carry out the holiday spirit and a huge Christmas tree has been placed at one end of the Grove. Among those who are planning parties are Mr. M. L. Happer, Mr. Jack Hirsh, Mr. Paul Hauser, Mr. N. Foler, party of eight; Miss Peggy Braun.

Tomorrow evening the Cocoanut Grove will be the scene of a gay and charming Christmas party. Many novel entertainment features and favors have been planned for the enjoyment of the guests on this evening. Among those who will be present are Mr. George H. Emery, Mr. J. H. Samana, Mr. D. S. Baxter, Mr. S. L. Riggs, Mr. M. Y. Meier, Mr. P. B. Harrison, Mr. O. G. Miller, Mr. Charles F. Stomba, Mr. I. O. Johnson, Mr. R. R. Waringer, Mr. A. B. Wharton, Maj. Bates, Dr. A. B. Cooke, Miss Peggy Braun.

Mrs. F. M. Shermack is entertaining with a dinner party at the Ambassador at 2 o'clock on Christmas Day. The tables will be decorated with flowers and places will be laid for four guests.

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Apples, Nuts and Raisins
Coffee

Supper
Crab Meat, Monza
Melba Toast
Brick Ice Cream, Pineapple Sauce
Snow Ball

Poached Eggs, Virginia

For each person to be served poach a slice of ham, place on a hot plate and cover with two poached eggs. Serve without toast.

Oriental Stuffing

Peel one dozen chestnuts, boil until tender in boiling salted water and chop fine; boil two-thirds of a cup of rice in boiling salted water until tender, drain and mix with the chopped chestnuts, twenty-four peeled and chopped pistacho nuts, two-thirds of a cup of seedless raisins, one-quarter of a teaspoon of cinnamon, and a seasoning of salt and pepper; when cool use to stuff the turkey.

Glazed Sweet Potatoes

Boil or steam medium-sized sweet potatoes until tender; cool, peel, and cut in two lengthwise; roll each piece in melted butter and cover lightly with granulated sugar; arrange in a buttered baking dish and bake in hot oven until glazed, basting with a little melted butter.

Bavarian Salad Dressing

Mix half a teaspoon of salt with one-quarter of a teaspoon of paprika, one teaspoon of French mustard, half teaspoon of powdered sugar, two tablespoons of vinegar, and six tablespoons of olive oil; place in a small jar, seal and shake three minutes.

Apricot Sauce

Beat the white of one egg to a stiff froth and beat into it one cup of heated apricot jam; add one teaspoon of almond extract, and one cup of whipped cream.

Crab Meat, Monza

Remove the meat from the shell and claws of a California crab. Heat four level tablespoons of butter in a saucepan and when hot stir in three level tablespoons of flour, mix smooth and stir in gradually two cups of hot milk and half a cup of hot cream. Drain one can of French mushrooms and heat in hot butter until tender, add to the cream sauce with the crab meat, heat and serve on hot plates garnished with toast points.

Snow Ball

Fill six tall glasses half full with shaved ice. Place in a beverage mixer three teaspoons of powdered sugar, three egg whites, two cups of white grape juice, and one cup of fine ice; shake well and strain into the glasses, fillin thirds full, fill with cold ginger ale and serve.

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS

Removes Shine

A solution of one tablespoon of borax to each quart of water will help remove the shine from those pants. Rub shiny parts with this solution and press, while still damp, on the wrong side of the suit.

For Slower Cooking

One or two asbestos mats are convenient in the kitchen to put under saucepans containing foods liable to burn. They are a joy when heating articles such as canned corn or things containing thickenings.

The Wandering Tea Cup

A few drops of hot water poured into the saucer before placing the tea cup on it will keep the cup from slipping about when it is passed to the guest. Use just enough water to moisten the saucer, but not enough to show.

Sending Flowers

Use a tin or wooden box when mailing flowers. Line the box with tissue paper, fill with blooms, avoiding any pressure on them. Sprinkle flowers with water, cover with oiled paper and adjust the lid.

For the Swimmers

One girl who swims a great deal has a paper bag containing one cup of cornstarch and after her rubber caps have dried, they are put in this bag and given a good shake. She has used the same caps for over a year by using this precaution.

Daily Fashion Hints From VOGUE

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AN EVENING GOWN IN GREEN

Paquin is almost the only house faithful to the large bow. Sometimes, it is put on one side, sometimes on both, but always the back and the front are as flat as flat can be. Brilliant green crepe de chine is the material used.

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Judge Releases Dancers Nabbed as Sword-toters

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Serge Tuscaess of 45 Stanton street and Arioff Sevciac of 211 West Fifty-third street, Russian dancers, were arraigned yesterday in West Side Court on a charge of carrying concealed weapons in a Russian restaurant at Fifty-third street and Broadway.

Detectives produced two three-foot swords which they said were "concealed" in scabbards which the men wore while doing a Russian dance. The dancers, through interpreters, offered to show how the swords were used. They eagerly grabbed for them.

"No thank you!" said Magistrate Levine. "Case dismissed."

Gives Skin to Relieve Burns of Negro Girl

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 23.—Because of her love for children, Mrs. Howard Bartges, 24 years of age, sacrificed five pieces of her skin as large as a silver dollar, in order to patch up the burned body of Essie Hopkins, 4-year-old colored girl.

As a result of the sacrifice of the woman, who volunteered to undergo the painful operation as an act of charity, the little girl will be able to leave the hospital in time to return to her home for Christmas.

Essie has been in the hospital nearly a year.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION

City Electrician Manahan has been authorized by the City Council to attend the convention to be held at Fresno next month of electrical officials of the State as the representative of Los Angeles.

The Woman and Her Job

By Valerie Holmes

[Questions relating to the vocational problems of women will be answered in this column by Mrs. Watrous if addressed to her in care of The Times. If personal replies are desired a stamped envelope must be inclosed.]

My dear Lucyle: Your letter is very interesting, and I can readily see that if you can increase your speed on the typewriter you can double your money on that public stenographic venture, both in copying and in taking dictation straight to the machine.

I've read many of the instruction books, and business efficiency magazines on this very subject, and I've talked to expert operators, but they seem to overlook one of the chief factors in rapid fingering.

In order to operate a typewriter rapidly there must be co-ordination between the hand and the brain. There must be such an assurance in every movement that it becomes automatic—an act of the subconscious rather than an effort of the conscious mind. This comes by practice, particularly the very simple words. Sentences made up of simple words and written fifty times each without error, will help to bring about this facility in operating the keys.

But before any of this should be attempted you should see to it that your machine is set at the exact height for your use. It might seem, too, that any modern typewriter desk would meet this requirement, but human bodies vary, and an inch or two may show a marked increase in your speed. Raise and lower the position of your chair and see if your desk arrangement is as perfect as it is possible to have it.

Getting your supplies in the most convenient position will also help build up speed. The use of an erasing shield will save time if errors creep in, or changes must be made. Always keep three or four ousness cards at hand to slip between the carbone to avoid smudging when corrections are being made. They also give a solid surface, which makes smooth and neat erasures possible.

I once knew an official court reporter who had a keen aversion to the the recording machines so commonly used. He much preferred to engage two expert typists and work with them in the evening. He would place the girls at desks, seat himself in front of them and turning to the testimony of two different witnesses would give a question and answer of John Smith's testimony to one girl, and then read a question and answer of John Brown's testimony to the other girl. While the first was writing her dictation, the other would be hearing and writing her's. It seems rather an impossible feat, but I have seen it done many time, and those girls would turn out from eighteen to twenty pages of testimony an hour.

While he was dictating he would be putting carbons and paper together so that there would be no delay when a page was finished. He distributed the copies into boxes that had contained typewriter paper, and relieved the girls of every detail in getting out the evidence in a case.

His method was a very interesting one. He would get the girls at their machines, and then talk to them in a casual way about someth.ng quite foreign to the work. Presently he would say:

"Now, let's get relaxed; let go the top link, girls; get your minds easy. Relax, relax, relax." This was said in a very quiet soothing tone and he always said it was interesting to see the tensity of their manner giving way to an ease that meant for speed.

"Speed comes from perfect ease. If a girl can get the feeling that she is quite detached and uninterested, she will do twice the work with half the effort. The girls that I have trained in this way are whirlwinds on the machine, and after a little practice can hold six or seven typewritten lines in their thoughts while they are recording them on the machine. When one remembers the many mental processes involved in work of this sort, it is remarkable what the mind can do."

The various attachments are on the machine to reduce unnecessary movements and increase speed. The operator striving for speed should learn to use them.

In throwing the carriage back, it is not necessary to throw it all the way if a paragraph is being started.

It is this close attention to details that enables the operator to gain speed that not only wins medals, but commands higher pay, either in the amount of copy turned out, or in the pay check at the end of the month.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Dear G.: If you will have a little patience I think there will be an adjustment of the unpleasant conditions in the office. I have observed that if a girl is given enough freedom she will hang herself. If anyone of you try to do it you will only earn the ill will of your chief. Wait two or three months and then come in and talk it over.

Dear Mrs. Carey: Will you please write me again? You overlooked putting down your street number and I have been unable to reply to you directly. You did not say what sort of laboratory work you wanted to do. There is a commercial course given at the University of Southern California and I would suggest that you call at the registrar's office, where you will be furnished details. You should do this soon after the first of the year as preparations for the new term will soon be under way, and you'll find the attendants so rushed it will be less convenient to get just the information you want.

Diet and Health

By Lulu Hunt Peters, M.D.

"TUBE RUN DOWN THROAT TO GET SWALLOWED TOOTH"

In a paper recently was an article under the above heading which gives an account of an operation which removed a tooth from the lungs of a woman. It seems that several months ago when the tooth was pulled, she gasped at the wrong time and the tooth fell back in her throat and down to her lungs. She coughed constantly from then on. The account states:

"Without an anaesthetic Mrs. Blank was placed on the operating table with her head and neck in such a position that the throat and larynx were in a straight line and a thin metal tube, called the bronchoscope, was inserted. A surgeon directed it by the aid of the X-ray until the end of the tube was directly over the tooth. Then a pair of specially made forceps was slipped through the tube and the tooth drawn out. Mrs. Blank was at her home last night with no cough."

Recently I attended a lecture given by a bronchoscopic specialist at the New York Academy of Medicine. X-ray pictures were shown of patients before foreign articles had been removed from the lungs and stomach. The most astonishing things were shown up, both in the lungs and the stomach. Chicken bones, atomizer tips, fruit stones, whistles, coins, jack stones, glass eyes, false teeth, metal toys, ordinary pins and safety pins, both open and closed.

Safety pins seemed to be the favorite diet, and most of these were shown in the lungs and stomachs of babies and children. One baby had more than six or eight, some in the lungs and some in the stomach, some open and some closed. The history had disclosed that the baby's little brother had pushed them into his mouth and down his throat making a nice little game of it, innocent and oblivious that the baby's howls were other than gleeful!

Another case that was interesting was that of a well nourished and healthy baby of a year who would not lie in any position except on his stomach. Placed on his back he would cough and apparently be in distress. An X-ray picture disclosed a pin in such a position that it would irritate him, when he was lying on his back but not when he was lying on his stomach.

Still another case was that of a young man who had a persistent cough for years. Tuberculosis was suspected. Repeated examinations, however, failed to reveal tuberculosis, and his clinical symptoms were not those of tuberculosis. An X-ray disclosed a tack which the young man remembered swallowing "the wrong way" when he was a child.

This should warn mothers not to leave safety pins or any other pins or small objects around where a child who has not been taught to leave them alone, can have access to them. And mothers must stop the habit of putting pins in their mouths, too, for the children see them do that and imitate them.

Another thing the specialist warned against is the danger of giving nut candies to babies. Because the candy melts and the nuts are left, and if the baby laughs or cries suddenly they may be aspirated into the lungs.

If something does get into the back of a child's throat be careful, when you try to get it out, that you don't push it further back. The first thing to do is to turn the child upside down and give it a smart slap on the back of the chest. If the child is too large to handle, put it over a table or chair so the head and chest hang down.

Many things that are swallowed get into the stomach and eventually will pass out naturally through the bowel movement. It may be a week or so. Do not give a cathartic in these cases, for that will rush the object through and perhaps cause damage. Feed the child more cereals, with some bran in it, if it is at the age when it can be taking cereals. If not, omit the baby's fruit juice for a few days.

Of course, you should see a physician if it is a pointed object that has been swallowed. He will have an X-ray taken and watch the child's progress. Remember my warning about the nut candies (no baby should have any candy) and do not give babies toys small enough to be swallowed or toys having loose parts on them.

If foreign articles do get into the trachea (wind pipe) or lower, in the lungs, a specialist can sometimes remove them, but not always.

(Tomorrow:—The Way to Have a Merry Christmas.)

[My Dear Followers: When sending for material which we offer you, please remember to inclose a stamped envelope bearing your full name and address. The pamphlet on reducing and gaining is the only one for which you must inclose 4 cents in stamps or coin. Address your letters to me in care of this paper. Make them as brief as possible, but cover full worth, and type or write them legibly with ink. Please sign your name as evidence of good faith—we will not use it in any way. Remember it is impossible for me to diagnose for you or to answer you personally. I appreciate very much the beautiful letters you send me and regret it is impossible to give you individual advice. The questions you ask will be answered in the column as soon as possible. If they are of general interest. Don't forget this is a. s. If you expect me to send you the information I have offered.]

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AUTO LIGHTS APPROVED

The Board of Public Works has approved of the recommendation of the Automobile Club of Southern California that flasher lights for the protection of motorists and pedestrians, be installed at Eighth street and Catalina street and at Eighth and Carondelet streets.

YULETIDE MARRIAGE WRECKED

Wife Sues for Divorce as Her Wedding Anniversary Nears

Domestic difficulties of a couple who entered married life Christmas Day, 1915, and separated just before the Yuletide season this year, were recited Saturday in a complaint for divorce Mrs. Mayme L. Wallace brought against Harold Prester Wallace.

According to Mrs. Wallace, her mate grew weary of her and told her, "when you get out it will be the happiest day of my life." He was also alleged to have treated Mrs. Wallace and their 6-year-old daughter in a cruel manner. The complaint declared that Wallace often kicked his wife and on one occasion beat their child with a rattan cane.

Among other instances of asserted cruelty set forth in the suit was one alleging that Wallace once called his mate a "buzzard," an appellation to which she objected.

The couple were married in Omaha, Neb., December 25, 1915, and parted recently, according to the complaint. They formerly lived at 1277 North Berendo avenue, Hollywood.

Quarrel With Wife Ends in Negro's Death

Terminating a heated quarrel in which he had indulged with his wife, from whom he had been separated, Fred Arnsworth, 40 years of age, a negro residing at 709 East Eighteenth street, was shot and fatally wounded by Joe Quinlin, 23, also a negro, the shooting taking place at the home of Mrs. Arnsworth at 3446½ McKinley avenue, early yesterday.

According to Quinlin, who was placed in jail on a murder charge by Officers Rhubarb and Mess, Arnsworth objected to his rooming at Mrs. Arnsworth's home. He said Arnsworth threatened his wife and when he made a move as though to attack Quinlin, who had been drawn into the quarrel, the latter drew a revolver and fired to defend himself. Mrs. Arnsworth is asserted to have verified this story.

Arnsworth was taken to the Receiving Hospital where he died shortly after the shooting. The body was removed to the Smith & Williams undertaking parlors.

NEWSBOYS TO GET CHRISTMAS FEAST

Tomorrow will be an important day in the lives of several hundred Los Angeles newsboys, for it is the occasion of the eighth annual Christmas dinner tendered the youthful street merchants by Fred Solomon, proprietor of the Penny Dance de Luxe. Several local society matrons have volunteered to act as "mothers" for the day to the guests. While the newsies are being served their dinner at the Grand-avenue dance pavilion, all of the girls in the Los Angeles Orphan Asylum will be presented with a choice pound box of candy.

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Large Attendance at Frolic in Bay City is Assured by Stars

Support of the Wampas Ball and Frolic in San Francisco on January 19 was pledged yesterday by representatives of the film industry in Hollywood. More than 150 stars agreed to act as a committee to secure a large attendance at the affair. Similar action was reported to have been taken by directors, cameramen, writers and others.

Douglas Fairbanks, accepting the invitation of a committee headed by Raymond E. Leek, general chairman, declared: "The Wampas called upon us last year for 10,000, and they can depend upon us to do equally as well this year."

It was announced yesterday that plans for the Wampas "De Luxe" special train are going forward. It is considered likely that the train will consist of six instead of four sections, according to Joseph Jackson, Wampas president.

Film Comedian Loses Famous Turtle Specks

The glassless tortoise-shell spectacle rims which helped Harold Lloyd to gain fame and which he has used for six years were lost Saturday, and the comedian is offering a reward for their return.

They meant much to Lloyd because he regarded them as a talisman of good fortune. Specially made, they were constructed so as to fit under his eyebrows so as not to interfere with his facial expressions. They were lost in Hynes, where the Lloyd company worked on exteriors last week.

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Drug Reform Story Peeves Screen Actor

Due to a similarity of names Johnny Walker, well-known screen star, has been for the past week busy denying that he was a victim of dope addiction, converted to evangelist, and had started preaching for the ministry.

It seems the film-colony has two Johnny Walkers. One is an ex-cowboy who has done some work and played small parts in several era: pictures. The other is the well-known star, who has played in "Over the Hill" and "The Third Alarm" and is now being featured in an F.B.O. release under production at Santa Barbara.

A local newspaper published a story about Johnny Walker's drug version, and since then the well-known actor has been deluged by letters, telegrams and telephone calls. At first it amused him, but he became angry, and now he is apprehensive lest his many friends become misled by the mistake in identity due to the name.

Mission Plans Christmas Joy for Many Me

Christmas Day will be the one bright spot in the year for hundreds of men who otherwise would spend a miserable day, if the plans of "Brother Tom" Liddecoat of the Midnight Mission materialize.

There will be no turkey dressing at the Midnight Mission Christmas dinner, but good beef with potatoes and vegetables and possibly cake and fruit will be served. A "home" atmosphere will be given by having women from local churches serve the dinner.

Thanksgiving Day 1346 men were served at the mission. Two years ago 2700 men were given a Christmas dinner. It is expected that there will be as great a number this year.

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PLAYDOM

EPISODES OF ROMANCE

"SECRETS" TELLS FASCINATING STORY OF LIFE

By Edwin Schallert

Rose dreams of youth, gladdening the heart; the cherished days of struggle, renewing and deepening love; mid-age with its success, its fame, and mayhap even its deceits, testing loyalty and faith—these things become realities, and fascinating realities, this week at the Majestic Theater. You will enjoy them, I am sure, if you see "Secrets," which opened its run here last night, with Margaret Lawrence of the New York production as its star.

"Secrets" is by Rudolph Besier and May Edginton, and it is written with a prologue, three acts and an epilogue. Each act is an episode in itself and each might almost make a playlet, yet they are all joined together with a thread that links them to a heart interest deeper than the actual events on the stage.

"There are things in marriage that are secret between one man and one woman," says the old family doctor in the prologue. He has just left the room where an aged British peer is thought to be dying.

This explains the title and sets forth the theme, and the story of what are the happenings in the life of a British peer and his wife that brought them ever closer together, even when they seemed about to be torn apart from each other, is what forms the three acts of the play.

The prologue is in the modern period, and the first act takes us back fifty-five years, to the romantic days of the courtship of Mary Marlowe and John Carlton. It culminates in their elopement, the girl's father having quite conventionally stepped in to prevent the marriage.

The second act transpires in a shack in Wyoming. The first child of the couple has been born. The husband is in dread of a raid by a band of cattle rustlers, and the climax is a wild melodramatic battle between the rustlers and the husband and wife, fighting side by side.

The third act sees the couple aristocratically established in England again. He is a member of Parliament, and they now have four children, while the girl's parents have taken both her and the husband back into their arms. The culmination of this episode is the revelation of the presence of another woman in the husband's life, and their happiness is even more seriously threatened, than it seemingly was by the girl's father's wrath in the first act, and the danger of death in the second.

No single episode of the play but carries a rather conventional series of situations. They might even become dull were they not so short, because their material is so familiar.

Each act when considered with the others sustains the interest in a peculiar and intimate way, that leads up to the final reuniting when the husband calls the wife to him once again as from the brink of death.

The charm of "Secrets" is quite describable, and the play is full of interest and action, because of the changing moods. The dialogue too is cheerful and generally rather unaffected, and you really get to feel that you are looking into other people's colorful and interesting lives.

Miss Lawrence, of course, has the major share of the acting, and she receives the major share of the applause. Her work in the prologue and epilogue, and in the aristocratic mid-age episode was the most captivating. In the first act she keyed her performance too high, with an evident desire to sustain the comedy. You felt that she overdid some of the scenes. On the whole, though, the play was a great personal triumph for her, because she has a rare personality of sunshine.

Walter J. Bonn measured up better to the requirements of the husband role as the play progressed. He, too, seemed somewhat to force effects in the opening scenes, but was better in the melodramatic battle, and in the dignified surroundings of the peerage.

A tremendously clever impression was made by Lillian Lawrence, Lucy Beaumont and Robert E. Homans, as the mother, the aunt and the father, respectively, of the young Miss Marlowe. Creditable and commendable work was done by Doris Lloyd, George K. Arthur, Barbara Brown, Ferdinand Munier, Agnes Roslyn, and others; my only regret is that the list is too long to mention. The staging is excellent, and you may be assured of an entertaining show in "Secrets."

"MESSIAH" SHOWS GAIN IN ENSEMBLE

There is never any doubt about what oratorio will be selected to commemorate the Christmas season. It is always certain to be "The Messiah," and as a consequence hearing the work becomes pretty much a matter of routine, that is only altered by whether the performance is above or below the average of the preceding presentations.

The Los Angeles Oratorio Society offered the Handel work at their initial concert of this season, given yesterday afternoon at Philharmonic Auditorium. The attendance was gratifying evidence that the public was very much interested in the event, and the applause that grew in volume and enthusiasm toward the close proved that the rendition had more than satisfied.

John Smallman, the director, has been building up his organization to the place where, with comparatively little obvious effort, he can secure splendid effects. There are times when more striking climaxes might be achieved, but on the whole there is volume and clarity in the singing. Only in a few instances yesterday was there that blur which indicates a badly sustained pitch.

Particular praise might be given for the renditions of "Lift Up Your Heads" and "Worthy is the Lamb" toward the end of the concert. The "Hallelujah" chorus, sung with the audience standing, was also well done.

Soloists and all considered, the latter part of the performance was the better.

The soloists for the concert included Marjorie Dodge, soprano; Harold Procter, tenor; Anna Rusena Sprotte, contralto, and Fred McPherson, bass. Of these, Mr. McPherson enjoyed perhaps the largest oration for his singing of "Why Do Nations So Furiously Rage?" which is a stirring and difficult number. At times, I felt he fell a little short of the dignity of traditional oratorio style, but in this particular number his musicianship at least was splendidly disclosed, even though one might quarrel with the mood of the interpretation.

Mr. Procter sustained an excellent impression throughout the concert, and was more consistently approved by the listeners. He did practically every one of his recitatives and arias well. In breath, power and character he has gained immeasurably in the past few years.

Mme. Anna Rusena Sprotte is always artistic in her feeling, and sings with discriminating style and great simplicity. In many respects hers were the most artistic interpretations, though certain tones of her voice failed at times to wing out over the orchestra.

Much of the music seemed to tax Miss Dodge's voice, which is inclined to a certain stridency in the higher registers. Her shading was at times however, effective, and she sang with sentiment the air, "I Know My Redeemer Liveth." She is far from being perfectly at home in this sort of work, to my mind, even though she has, no doubt, been trained in the traditions.

The members of the Philharmonic Orchestra, who assisted with Julius Bierlich as concert master, seemed to respond very commendably to Mr. Smallman's baton. A trumpet obligato was played to the solo, "The Trumpet Shall Sound," by Mr. Pierno.

The sum of the concert was improvement, particularly in the character and work of the chorus.

"FASHION ROW" IS HIGHLY SEASONED

It was bound to happen, of course, the Russian outbreak in pictures. You can see the indications of it on two screens this week, for Marshall Neilan is adventuring along the Slavs in "The Rendezvous," and Mae Murray is offering her piquant version of the Russian idea in "Fashion Row" this week at Loew's State.

You may nearly always depend on Miss Murray for several pirouettes of amusement, and whirl of excitement, when the inspiration fizzes just right in her jazzy type of photoplays. But "Fashion Row," her latest contribution to the life and literature of the silver screen, is perhaps just a little above the quality of the entertainment that she proffers in that it affords her real opportunities for dramatic fireworks. In one of the two roles that she plays she has to go so far into the drama, in fact, that she became tempestuously a tragedienne, and dies amid a melodramatic blaze of pistol shots.

I haven't seen a dual role picture for so long, that it almost assumed to be a novelty. The double part of "Fashion Row" is exceedingly well done, because what with the black wig that she wears as Olga Farinova, the actress, Miss Murray is much different from herself as Zita, the little immigrant. Even in the scenes where the two girls finally meet and cry on each other's shoulders, the illusion of their separate identity is pathetically and surprisingly preserved.

Nobody will ever accuse Miss Murray of sticking closely to Slav traditions in the making of her photoplay. Most of it transpires in America, anyway, and some of the most entertaining scenes remind you very much of the way that orchestras syncopate the "Song of India" or Rubinstein's "Kamenoi Ostrow," or other famous Russian melodies. Jazz is uppermost, naturally, or it wouldn't be a Mae Murray photoplay, and this is a colorful Russian salad spiced with both comedy and tragedy.

"Fashion Row" is interesting in that it discloses an advance in Miss Murray's own particular cleverness. It proves that she has much more versatility that we have been led to suppose. You may not be altogether satisfied with the ending, but you will like what she does herself. That's not forgetting either the impression that she makes in some of the extraordinary and bizarre fashion creations that she wears.

The most striking work in the support is done by Elmo Lincoln as the heavy, but Earle Foxe and Freeman Wood both please, while Sidney Franklin and Mme. Rosanova contribute good characterizations. Craig Biddle plays the part of a press agent, and Robert Z. Leonard directed.

Baby Peggy helps the entertainment with her comedy, "Hansel and Gretel," and the Hilarity Four and the orchestra under Arthur Kay's direction enhance the program.

Miss Murray delighted with a personal appearance in the star box Saturday and Sunday evenings, and will be there again tonight.

Costume Fever Hits Melody Shows

Ralph Soule and Ione Ramsay

Songsters will recall days of Franz Schubert in "Blossom Time," a romantic play with music, to open tonight at the Mason.

Clune Screen Shows Hectic Egyptian Life

Native Egyptians, in the times of the Pharaohs, led just about as hectic existences as we do today, judging from William P. S. Earle's "The Dancer of the Nile," which is showing this week at the Clune Broadway Theater. True, they didn't have the motor traffic to dodge that we do, nor a hundred and one other accidents that daily befall us. But they were open to floggings by the slaves of titled officials, they were protected by a frequently misguided "justice," and for amusement could have themselves thrown to the crocodiles. It was a great life—if you didn't weaken.

You will probably find that the most interesting things about "The Dancer of the Nile" are the great sets. And when you know that most of these sets are in reality not sets at all, but paintings, they become even more interesting. From an artistic point of view the picture is one of the pleasantest things to look upon that has been shown here for some time.

On the other hand, the story, the titles, and the cast are not particularly noteworthy. The plot might seem more original and entertaining if a new set of titles were provided for it. The ones that are used now are almost laughable in places. Some of them express thoughts that would be obvious even without an explanation.

The story concerns a young and handsome Syrian prince in Egypt in disguise. He is loved by the princess, and in turn loves the princess's dancing girl. Tut-Ankh-Amen, brother of the princess, and the high priest conspire to do away with the girl and the Syrian, and then take the throne, but all without success.

Heading the cast are Carmel Myers and June Elvidge, the only two players whose work stands out at all. Miss Myers is seen in the title role of the dancer, slave to the Egyptian princess portrayed by Miss Elvidge. For the most part these two actresses give very good interpretations. Malcolm McGregor has the juvenile lead. What wasn't hacked out of his role was spoiled by having him do a series of serial last-minute rescues. Others in the cast include Bertram Grassby and Sam de Grasse.

Nearly as interesting as the feature is "Why Elephants Leave Home," a two-reeler that gives intimate glimpses of an elephant hunt in Ceylon. A. Col. Hezs Liar cartoon, entitled "Forbidden Fruit" (yep, bananas) is also on the bill.

RECORD CROWD HAS SEEN "HUNCHBACK"

More than 100,000 persons have already seen "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," the current attraction at the Criterion Theater, since it's opening in Los Angeles.

The Universal special production is now in it's sixth week of showing. There is no sign of any decrease in the popularity of the picture, and capacity crowds continue to throng the theater. From all indications, it appears that "The Hunchback" may set a new record for long runs in the downtown district.

"TEN COMMANDMENTS" INTERESTS THRONGS

With the approach of the sacred holiday, when the thoughts of the Christian world turn to things religious, the interest in "The Ten Commandments," Cecil B. De Mille's photoplay now in its fourth week at Grauman's Hollywood Egyptian Theater, is showing a marked increase and the ticket demand has grown measureably greater with the approach of the year-end holidays. To accommodate the throng that is clamoring for seats on New Year's Eve, Sid Grauman has arranged a double presentation of the Paramount masterplay adapted from Jeanie MacPherson's story. With the full prologue preceding each screening of the picture, the first show will begin at 7 p.m. and the second at 10 p.m., enabling the audience at the concluding show to watch the old year out and the new year in while the drama of modern life is being unfolded on the silver sheet.

MISS LOGAN HOME TONIGHT

Jacqueline Logan returns to Los Angeles tonight from Kansas City, Mo., where she has been making a series of personal appearances for one week.

FLASHES

THE TRIANGLE AGAIN

"DON'T CALL IT LOVE" IS SMART COMEDY

By Grace Kingsley

This is another of those "Don't Change Your Stenographer," "Is That What You Call a Husband?" "What's Your Wife Thinking Of?" "New Husbands for Damaged Ones" kind of pictures—"Don't Call It Love," down at the Metropolitan.

I don't know how it got by the censors, but I'm glad it did, because "Don't Call It Love" is sophisticated and entertaining.

I suppose that if the piano-tuner hadn't interrupted Jack Holt and Nita Naldi just as he did, we should never have seen the picture. No matter that Miss Naldi wears the very wickedest gowns, and that everybody except said piano-tuner evidently had the very naughtiest thoughts, or that the lady had the purplest kind of a past.

The theme of "Don't Call It Love" is a good deal like that of "The Boomerang," in which, you remember, the hero remarks: "Love isn't sweet and kind and helpful and inspiring; it's a mean, cruel, dirty, despicable game."

They made the supreme feminine figure in this a prima donna, which, of coures, gave a chance for all sorts of hectic love scenes. The heroine is a poor Patient Griselda type, who is faithful and honest and true, and just waits and waits. She gets him at last—what's left of him.

Nita Naldi always looks to me like a poster of somebody else; She is always so hectically overdone. And she is always stiff—except when she leans backward to be kissed.

But she is improving, for she introduces a human note in making her vampire show moments of feigned ingenuousness—which is a clever note.

William De Mille surely does know his business. No matter what the flavor of the offering, whether whimsical or sophisticated, he gets the very tang of that flavor into his production.

Clara Beranger adapted "Rita Coventry" to the films, and the title has been changed to "Don't Call It Love." Which was a very good idea.

She has given us the perfect gobs of smart epigrams which peppered the book, and these subtitles page the laughs in the audiences, too.

"Never trust a man's opinion of himself except when he says he's a fool," says one.

"No man in the world is square," says another, "there is always a curve on which he will skid."

The Madonna-like beauty of Agnes Ayres is revealed in the role of the patient Griselda sweetheart, but she seems suffering from unwonted self-consciousness. Besides, she will show up with her hair marcelled on the Judgment Day or refuse to enter heaven.

I have a feeling that adverse criticism of Miss Ayres's once genuine manner of acting has had a bad effect on her work, or else Mr. De Mille doesn't know how to get the best out of her.

Theodore Kosloff didn't have much to do, except alternately to kiss Nita's hand and rave at her, but did it so well that we wished we could see more of him.

Rod LaRocque gave a skillful and flexible performance of the young piano-tuner who finally engaged the egotistical singer's attention. Here is one of the finest young actors in the business.

Jack Holt, of course, is the fine, upstanding hero of always.

The reporter wasn't natural—the fellow who came to get a story about the supposed bride and groom when Nita and Jack registered at the hotel—he didn't hold on long enough!

If you are crazy about kids' performances, you will probably like the Kiddies Revue very much, because the youngsters are prize dancers. Little Frances Dexter does especially good work in a Russian dance. Collins and Harlan, of phonograph fame, show you how to make records, if it excites you any.

"RENDEZVOUS" PROVES BABY STAR TRIUMPH

We all know that Marshall Neilan is great, but why doesn't he prove it oftener? Sometimes I think he loses interest in a story which seems to him inferior and sometimes I think he should make only episodic things like "Bits of Life," one of the great pictures of all time. Or else he needs a big inspiration in his players. Certainly when he has directed Mary Pickford he has never muffed it.

Neilan's picturization of "The Rendezvous" at the California, resolves itself for me into a series of dull moments while I await the bright coming of Lucille Ricksen, Sydney Chaplin and Conrad Nagle. These three work so excellently that the picture is worth going to see on their account. Otherwise it is unsinpired, draggy and trite.

Lucille Ricksen is the most vividly dramatic, tensely appealing emotional young actress which this and most former years have turned out. As the poor little harried Russian princess living as a peasant amid the communistic uproar, her work is simply superb. She has the tender appeal of Bessie Love, the fine strength of Mae Marsh.

Why doesn't somebody star Syd Chaplin in a great character role? Here is one of the most skillful actors on the screen, both for pantomime and facial expression.

As the soldier in "Rendezvous," he very nearly steals the picture. His scene in which he comes into the girl's house and nochalantly interrupts the villain by juggling three hand grenades is a bear. That is a bit of business worthy the sparkling genius of Neilan.

There's another scene, too, which speaks of Neilan at his best. That's when the girl, rendered deaf by the beating of her husband, unknowlingly locks him in a deserted mosque, and doesn't hear his wild calls for her help. Here, presumably, he perishes.

Conrad Nagle lives the role of the Yankee soldier-hero. Kathleen Key is very clever in a minor part: Elmo Lincoln plays a mean villain, and the others are entirely satisfactory.

Some day a great story of Russia will be made, but "The Rendezvous" isn't it.

An amusing little cartoon comedy, "Five Orphans of the Storm," looms up entertainingly.

The musical program by Carli D. Elinor is very pleasing indeed, and is worth the price of admission all in itself.

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BAG LOST—Sat. night, physician's black bag, vicinity Meridian ave. and Ave. 64, Highland Park. [illegible] Reward.

BEDDING lost. Rolled in black [illegible]. Reward. Holly. [illegible] HOLLYWOOD BLVD.

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DOG lost, airedale, large, rear old, male. Address on collar. A. F. OHL, 1727 Nacada, Canyon drive, Hollywood. Phone [illegible] Reward.

DOG LOST—White brindle female bull, black leather collar. Please return to 1123 W. EDGEWARE ROAD, receive reward. [illegible]

DOG LOST—Large Collie, sable and white, cut on front left foot. License No. 14444. Dunkirk 1922. Reward. 118 S. COMMONWEALTH.

DOG—Lost. Female collie dog. A slit in left ear. Has nursing puppies. Reward. 1410 E. WASHINGTON. Phone Humb. 6797.

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DOG lost. Female collie. Lost Sunday night. Reward for return to 609 EAST 58TH ST.

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DOG LOST — Female fox terrier puppy. Thursday. REWARD. 560-841.

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GRIP, black leather, lost in Alhambra, Saturday p.m., on Vega St., bet. Alhambra Rd. and Main st. Contents cards addressed to Mrs. R. C. Candler. Reward. Ph. 1508, W. Alhambra, or Beacon 1868, Los Angeles.

GLASSES—Lost. Rimmed, on Maple Ave. near 8th St. Saturday afternoon. Phone 837315. MISS TAYLOR. Reward $5.

HANDBAG lost, Union Pacific Depot, Tuesday eve. Dark handbag, inside purse, ticket and other things. Communicate with ADA SEAWRIGHT, Santa Maria, Cal.

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WANTED—HELP—
Male.

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Male.

[illegible]

Salesmen and Solicitors

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Store and Office

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WANTED—HELP—
Male.

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BUICK 4 TOUR., 1922, NEW PAINT, cord tires, 90-day guarantee, $725. HOWARD AUTO CO. OF L. A., 1212 So. Main. Phone 289641.

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DODGE touring, '23, like new. Easy terms. Phone 437623. 1866 VISTA DEL MAR.

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ESSEX touring, late '21. Good tires, 2 new, new paint, $650. Terms. GAR. 6000.

FORD touring, 1921. Can't be told from new. One of those clean jobs that has been kept in the parlor. $265, $95 down, balance $20 month. NERNEY'S DEPENDABLE USED FORDS, Auth. Ford Dealer, Vermont at 52nd. Open evenings and Sunday. Ver. 0175. Buy at night. Lots of light.

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FORD TOURING, 1921. $265. Looks and runs like new. Remodeled, shock absorbers. COBERLY'S BETTER USED FORDS. 1918 So. Main. Open Sun. & eves. 287-184.

FORD tour., 1924, starter, dem., bumper, speedometer, wheel lock, two cord extras, chains, pyrene, need money, $600, val. for $380 cash. 3029 Asbury st. E car.

FORD touring, 1921, has starter, $125. Pay $50 down. ANGLIN & SUND, Ford Dealers, 1800 Sunset Blvd. Open Sun. and eve.

FORD TOURING; starter and dem., shocks, speedometer; a good buy for $125. COBERLY'S BETTER USED FORDS, 1918 S. Main. Open Sun. & eve.

FORD tour., 1924, like new, never been off the boulevard. Sell for $75 off list price. Trade or terms. See HARRY SMITH, 827 S. Figueroa. 821521.

FORD TOURING, 1919, ONLY $95. New top, good shape, good motor. 1616 SO. MAIN.

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FORD TOURING, 1920. $200. Perfect motor, starter. 1616 SO. MAIN. Open Sunday.

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FORD touring, 1919, good rubber, Bosch magneto. Excellent shape. $125. Terms. 3225 W. WASHINGTON. 73454.

FORD touring, 1917, $85. Pay $30 down. ANGLIN & SUND, Ford Dealers, 1800 Sunset Blvd. Open Sun. and eve.

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FORD 1922 touring, refinished, $275, terms. 777 CENTRAL AVE.

FORD—1920 tour., $175. Runs good, has str. and dems. 822 N. WESTERN.

FORD, 1920; motor like new, $125. Call bet. 5:30 & 7 p.m. Met. 6970. Mr. Willets.

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HUDSON 1922 7-passenger touring, reconditioned, 30 days' guarantee, $850, terms. H. L. CROCKETT, HUDSON-ESSEX DEALERS, 5341 PASADENA AVE. GAR. 6000.

HUDSON super tour., runs fine, tonneau shields, wings, visor, extras, refinished, new top. Terms. GRAGG, 957 S. Grand.

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STUDEBAKER 1923 light 6 touring, 5500 miles, 30-day guarantee, $875. Terms. GARV. 6000.

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STUTZ touring car, practically new; run less than 10,000 miles; perfect condition. Must sacrifice at half price, $1650 cash. Private sale. Phone METRO. 8240.

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WILLYS-KNIGHT tour., '21. Excellent cond., orig. finish, full line of extras. $845, terms. 3225 W. WASHINGTON. 73454.

WILLYS-KNIGHT Tour., '22. Perfect cond. New paint, 2 new cord tires. Real buy. $995. Terms. 3225 W. WASHINGTON. 73454.

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WILLYS-KNIGHT, A-1 condition, very cheap, take light car. 3560 WHITTIER BLVD.

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The car we are offering to you is Durant's latest creation—the DURANT SPECIAL, selling today for $1095. Has bumpers, wind wings, motor meter, bar cap, step-plates, disc wheels, etc. A wonderful value. We are offering you this same car, run just 531 miles, a new car at a $300 reduction. "Think of it!" BUY IT FOR XMAS. F. B. MILLER, Durant—Dealer—Flint. 220 W. Pico. 281940. Open eves. & Sun.

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1921 OVERLAND 4, PERFECT..........$300
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BUICK Sport Roadster, 1923. Nearly brand new. Run only 1700 miles. Extra tire and bumpers. A perfect beauty, 90-day new-car guarantee. At a big discount. Very easy terms if desired. Open today. BUICK EXCHANGE, Used Car Dept. HOWARD AUTO CO., 1122-1128 So. Olive st. 825122 or 825081.

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BUICK ROADSTER, 1921. $695. 1155 S. HOPE.

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CHANDLER 1921 CHUMMY—Just refinished throughout, good tires and runs like new. $850. Easy terms. CALIFORNIA OAKLAND MOTOR CO. 1137-39 So. Olive.

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AUTOMOBILES, ETC.—Miscellaneous

Roadsters for Sale

DODGE ROADSTER, $200, TERMS. OPEN EVENINGS AND SUNDAYS. J. A. NADEAU CO., FORD DEALERS. Cor. Central and Slauson. Humb. 2240.

DODGE ROADSTER, 1922. Fine shape. $250 down. 1035 OLIVE ST. 872-958.

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FORD roadster, 1922. This is a real snap for $225. Liberal terms. See our cars before you buy. OPEN EVENINGS AND SUNDAY. LLOYD L. KING FOR FORDS, 231 N. Pacific Blvd. Humbolt 7758.

FORD roadster, 1921, speedometer, Hassler, many other extras. Open Sundays and evenings. FORD. J. BENJ. FAHY, LINCOLN. 827 S. FIGUEROA.

FORD ROADSTER, 1920, $175. Starter. In good condition. COBERLY'S BETTER USED FORDS, 1918 S. Main. Open Sun. & eves.

FORD ROADSTER, 1920, (Starter.) $165. A real buy in a Ford roadster. COBERLY'S BETTER USED FORDS. 1918 S. Main. Open Sun. & eves. 287-184.

FORD roadster, 1921, $150. Pay $50 down. ANGLIN & SUND, Ford Dealers, 1800 Sunset Blvd. Open Sun. and eves.

FORD, late model, new battery, good tires, H.&D. shocks, extras, reas. for quick sale. 845 S. OLIVE. See mechanic.

FORD ROADSTER, 1922, $295. Looks and runs like new. New-car guarantee. 1616 SO. MAIN ST.

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FORD roadster, 1922, overhauled and guaranteed, $250, terms. 4039 S. VERMONT.

FORD 1922 ROADSTER ....$165 Starter. 108 W. PICO. Phone 289610.

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'23 BUICK Sport Roadster. Five wire wheels. A perfect car. Like new and only $1350 on easy terms. No brokerage. Open evenings and Sunday. CONSOLIDATED AUTO DEALERS' ASSN. 1006 S. Olive St. Phone 61693.

'22 STUDEBAKER Spl. 6 Roadster. Looks like a new car and just as good. Priced to move quick, $825. Easy terms. No brokerage. Open Evenings and Sunday. CONSOLIDATED AUTO DEALERS' ASSN. 1006 S. Olive St. Phone 61693.

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CHALMERS 1921 SPORT MODEL. A REAL BUY. $600. 1035 S. GRAND AVENUE.

HAL sport touring, also. New paint, just overhauled. Call 281-472. BOOGAR & GILLINGHAM, 524 W. Pico.

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DORRIS 4-pass., sport model; new tires, seat covers and many extras. $1450. ROOK & CUMMINGS, 1825 S. Los Angeles Street.

ESSEX, 1921, 4 pass. sport, $595, terms. Newly painted. Biggest steal in town. 1200 S. MAIN.

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CHANDLER coupe, '20. Wonderful shape mech., new paint, look this price, $650. Terms. 3225 W. WASHINGTON. 73454.

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CHEVROLET coupe, '22. Dandy bumpers. New cord rubber. See this. You will buy. $495. Terms. 3225 W. WASHINGTON. 73454.

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ESSEX COUPE 1922. LOOKS AND RUNS LIKE NEW CAR. $825. 434 W. PICO ST.

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FORD COUPE, 1923. The latest. Fully equipped, with nickel-plated barred radiator, shell sun visor, large lock steering wheel, speedometer, dashlight, etc. A wonderful buy at $475, terms to suit. NERNEY'S DEPENDABLE USED FORDS, Auth. Ford Dealer, Vermont at 52nd. Open evenings and Sunday. Ver. 0175. BUY AT NITE—LOTS OF LITE.

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FORD COUPE, 1922. Like new, many extras; liberal discount. Open Sundays and evenings. FORD. J. BENJ. FAHY, LINCOLN. 827 S. FIGUEROA.

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FORD coupe, 1921, by owner; speedometer, new tires, first-class condition. $330. Has had best of care. PH. 560-165.

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HUPMOBILE COUPE, 1922. A real snap. $800. Terms. Hurry. Open evenings and Sundays. LYNN C. BUXTON, Stearns Dist. 1635 So. Figueroa St. 289-251.

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AND HE LOOKED DIRTY AND GREASY
UNTIL HE BOUGHT AN INTERNATIONAL
IN THE END
SO THEY SAY
THAT ARE ASST.
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$2500 FIRST PAYMENT
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LEASE, furniture, 8-rm. & sleep. porch, boarding-house, good income, dandy for man and daughter. 730?7.

ROOMING-house district, 17 rooms, all full, good income. Beautiful location. Owner leaving city. BEAC. 8307.

HOTEL, 35 rooms, newly furn. Long lease. Income $400 month. 329 TURNER AVE.

HOTELS, ROOM'G HOUSES For Sale, Ex., Lease, Wanted.

For Sale.

DOWNTOWN corner brick hotel, ground floor lobby, straight transferable lease. $12,500 handles.

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15 SINGLE APTS., 14 GARAGES.
Lease and furnishings, new; cor. brick bldg., stucco dist., hdw. floors, built-in features, beautiful new furnishings, 10-yr. lease, $12,500 req. Owner, 1404 Pico ave. Price $9500 cash, inc. $125 per mo. F. W. THULTE, 521 W. 3rd st. 626-013.

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30 ROOMS, hot and cold water, long lease, rent $150, big net income. Price $6000, terms. Pk. OWNER, 625-2204.

For Lease

NEW HOTEL LEASE
116-room hotel, large rooms, spacious tile lobby, 30% baths, excellent location in Westlake district.
Rent $1800 per month on 15 yrs. lease, secured by $15,000 advance rental, part of which will be returned on completion of building.
Work to start Jan. 1, 1924.
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DON'T READ THIS IF YOU ON YOUR MONEY SOUNDS UNBELIEVABLE. 120 rooms with furniture at $4.50 per room. Three blocks west of Hall of Records. Ten-year lease at $600 per month. Present income $1200 per month. Will exchange. Total price $22,000, including furniture. Only $15,000 to handle.
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Wanted

WANTED—To buy from owner apartments, hotel or rooming house. Address A, box 64, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—To buy, high class hotel, three-story brick preferred; give full details. Address A, box 64, TIMES OFFICE.

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BUNGALOW COURT LEASES

Court leases for sale. Small amount investments. We can explain how a small amount invested will show more than 100 per cent return in a purchase of income property. Lease now. Furnish and make big profits. Don't delay. Call or write at once. We recommend the following:
1 unit, 2 rooms, Hot Point, $40 unit.
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Act quickly if interested. Good leases are going fast. Call Mr. Crosby or Mr. Richey.
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BEAUTIFUL
UNFURNISHED COURT
8 2-ROOMS $65

Located in a wonderful rental district between Washington and Adams streets. Built-in features, ivy boxes, etc. Large lighted rooms. For investors only. Call in or Phone 560378. Ask for MISS ESTES.

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JUST FURNISHED.
10-room transferable lease. 16 single's, 4 doubles. Overstuffed furniture, fully carpeted, large closets and dressing rooms. A quiet location, one block south of Hollywood Blvd. The price is right. Will take some good paper as part payment. Owner at 1442 WILLOWBROOK, Apt. 4.

WILL sacrifice, lease and furniture of new ten-unit close-in, stucco court, $250 net income. Only $1500 cash to responsible tenants. Inquire 1461 W. WASHINGTON.

NEWMAN BUNG. COURT.
7 units. Income $270 mo. Only $12,000 cash and $100 mo. Trade for car. Newman Ave. Univ. 4686.

LEASE AND FURNITURE—12-unit court in Hollywood. Price $6000. Equity in property. McGINNIS, 150 S. Broad. Glendale 2063.

VERY attractive 12-unit bungalow court for sale. Income $360 per month. $2200 cash handles. Owner, 1124½ W. 6TH. Direct from owner. PHONE 54-J.

BUNGALOW COURT LEASE.
12 units. Also 10-unit, unfurnished. Two years' lease. Owner, 646 N. VIA. Phone 567-153.

4-UNIT court, owner and court at 761½ S. MAIN ST. $4000; cash. Rent $170 month. Priced to sell quickly.

BUNGALOW court, 10 units, elegant new furniture; rent $12.50 room; net inc. $270. Only $3000 E. GIBSON, 66073.

UNFURNISHED 1-GARAGE
BUNGALOW court, 10-yr. lease and for. Large net income. $6570. UNIV. 6275.

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For Sale

SECURED LEASE
62-ROOM APARTMENT
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Beautiful three-story apartment building containing 27 singles and 35 doubles, located near 6th and Hampshire streets. Owner must establish quick action and willing to listen to reason. $10,000 cash will handle. For full information see
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8 APARTMENTS, 24 rms., all new furniture, 3-yr. lease. Net income $270. Will sacrifice. Make offer. W. M. GIBSON, 857-71.

56 ROOMS, 10-year lease, nets $100 per mo. Rent $6 per room. $10,000 small balance. 9TH ST. REALTY, 214 I. W. Robinson Bldg.

5-ROOM apartment, beautifully furnished, very central, $630, 1124½ W. KENSINGTON RD.

25% R.&G. apts., clear $300 month; long lease, balance $1000 month; rent $130. Call 206 DELYA BLDG., 426 Spring.

BY OWNER, 14 rm. apt. $1200 handles, small mtg. 2300 S. FLOWER.

For Lease.

48-ROOM APT. ONE OF LEY BROS. GRAND NEW APTS. IN WILSHIRE DIST. APPLY LEY BROS., 811 S. VERMONT. DUNK 2184.

40% ON $10,000 INVESTMENT—
10-unit court lease. 7 garages. Beautifully furnished. Near Sunset Blvd.
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APARTMENT HOUSES—For Sale, Ex., Lease, Wanted

For Lease.

FOR LEASE, IN HOLLYWOOD.

High-class apartment-house, new building, new furnishings; party must buy furniture, $45.00; will handle cash. Address Z, box 138, TIMES OFFICE.

OWNER UP AGAINST IT FOR CASH. Hollywood, 22 apartments. New, 10-year transferable lease. Beautifully furnished. Furniture and advance rent securing loan amount approx. to $15,000. Will sacrifice for $12,500. Absolute equities. Total price $16,000. Cash $10,000. Balance very monthly payments. DREXEL 5289.

44-APT. bldg., 4-story brick; steam heated; modern. Rampart and 4th, 20-apt. bldg., Bonnie Brae, 10-yr. lease; impossible position. Vermont and Santa Monica district. Inquire 627 PACIFIC MUTUAL BLDG. or 1437 Cherokee, Hollywood, 827-234 or 432-012.

FOR LEASE or sale—new 8-unit bldg. Fully furnished. Hollywood, cor. Sunset Blvd. corner, 15 singles and 2 doubles; every modern convenience, 20 phones; 4 rooms in basement; rental $1500 month. Owner, 4804 SUNSET BLVD.

Wanted

WANTED—To lease farm, or ranch, hotel or apt.-house, close in. Address X, box 438, TIMES BRANCH.

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7000 ACRES
of fine fruit-land, mineral vegetables, avocados, citrus and residence land. 5½ miles from center of San Diego city. Price $400 per acre. Will trade for clear. For irrigation available. Also paved highway through the property. Will sell 5 acres or more at $300 per acre. Get in on the ground floor. Investment is syndicate plan.
See MR. DOUGLAS,
ROBERT MARSH & CO.
200 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

REAL ESTATE INVESTORS
PARTNERSHIP FORMING
Private parties wishing to share in the profits of real estate operations in Los Angeles and vicinity, with operator of proven success, who has a record in this business man, answer this at once. This offers unusual opportunity to two business men. Only unquestionable integrity and ability and who are substantial financially or join in partnership now forming to carry on extensive operations. Investor and require bank references. JONES-SILVA Waverly ave. Phone 5281196.

WOULD you invest $2000 to $10000 in a proposition that would pay you 20-% per annum in quarterly payments and profit equally with the owner? If you do not have that much interest coming in all the time after you have invested in it, write for full particulars. Address P, box 1, TIMES BRANCH.

SIX PER CENT INVESTMENT PLAN
We will receive deposits of $1000 or over for investment subject to withdrawal on demand with full interest to date of withdrawal of 5 per cent. "Twenty-three years of safety."
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NEED CAPITAL
Wanted, $15,000 for subdivision purposes. Will sell interest or part of tract; unusually big profits. Money handled by bank. No risk; but must have capital. Address C, box 646, TIMES BRANCH.

MANAGER with $20000 for going manfg. concern. Established 5 years and two extensive lines. Will sell interest. Address D, box 174, TIMES OFFICE.

PARTY with $6000 to build and sell house. Have a new investment. Address F, box 502, TIMES BRANCH.

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610 S. BDWY. 200-504 STORY BLDG. PHONE 978-581.

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MUST SACRIFICE—
Cigar stand, concession in one of Los Angeles' finest hotels with periodical. Theater ticket and taxicab privileges. Fine lease. Income from $15,000 to $18,000 per year approximately. Full price $2500 cash. Sickness forces sale. Present owner to sacrifice. A splendid opportunity for cultured, refined party to step into a good business on a small investment in pleasant surroundings. Purchaser will have to meet with approval of Hotel Chamberlain. For further particulars see Mr. R. F. Harvey, business property dept. Positively no interlopers given a look.
MERRICK & BUDDICK, INC

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Wanted

LEGAL NOTICES—
Bids, Proposals

TOO LATE—
To Classify

COWBOY COSTUME FOR KING OF SIAM

Progress has been so rapid in the orient during the past decade that the old-time pageantry and picturesqueness which most foreigners still associate with eastern lands has almost disappeared.

When I visited Siam, for example, I rather expected to see the ruler of that remote kingdom borne through the Bangkok streets of his capital on a swaying howdah atop of a sacred white elephant, for that was the mental picture that I had carried in my mind since childhood.

When I did see the King, however, he was seated in the tonneau of an eight-horsepower motor car, gleaming with brass and scarlet, which tore through the streets of Bangkok at a pace which would have appalled even a New York police chief.

But if I had been more familiar with the Siamese monarch's history I would not have been surprised at this evidence of modernism, for, as a matter of fact, Chao Fa Maha Vajiravudh, or King Rama VI, as he prefers to be styled, is quite as up to the minute as his fellow sovereign, King Alfonso. He was educated at Eton and Oxford, is a graduate of the military academy at Sandhurst and an honorary colonel in the British army, he speaks and writes like an Englishman.

His chief hobby is writing plays which he produces in the private theater of the royal palace, the spectators usually being confined to the members of his court and the diplomatic corps. In these plays King Rama himself frequently takes the leading parts, much to the astonishment of his ministers.

When I was in Siam I did not meet the King because he was in mourning for the death of his mother, the queen dowager, but I did have the experience of designing a costume for him. I had gone to the court tailor, an Englishman imported from Bond street by the present King's father, to order some tropical weight clothing.

"I hope you will pardon me for taking the liberty, sir," the man said one day when I was having a fitting, "but being you are an American, perhaps you would be so kind as to give me an idea of how your cowboys dress. You see, it's this way sir," he explained confidentially. "His Majesty has just written a play with the scene laid in the American West and he is to take the principal part, that of a cowboy. And I have been instructed to supply the costume, which must be quite accurate, sir, a to details."

"Suppose you let me see what you have achieved thus far," I suggested, whereupon a mannequin wheeled out for my inspection a tailor's dummy on which was displayed the most fantastic outfit that I have ever set eyes on. It is true that the hat had a wide brim and that there was fringe on the trousers and fringes everywhere, in fact the resemblance to the garb of the plains ended there.

I felt that, if for no other reason than that of saving the good name of the American cowpuncher, I must prevent this travesty from being worn by the king; I spent the better part of an insufferably hot afternoon sketching the details of a dress habitually worn by cowriders west of the Pecos. I suppose, that for his services to the cause of theatrical costume the court tailor was rewarded with the fifth class of the order of the white elephant.—[R. Alexander Powell in Harper's Magazine.

PHONES TO "CARRY" NEW ZEALAND MAIL

About $600,000 a year is to be taken out of the pockets of telephone users in New Zealand and applied toward meeting the deficits incurred in the transmission of the New Zealand mails. This statement was made by the postmaster-general of the dominion in the course of a recent speech in the New Zealand Parliament in which he defended the new telephone rate schedule effective October 1.

"In New Zealand the postoffice not only carries the mails but also operates the telephone and telegraph systems. The postmaster-general pointed out that the revenue from annual loss through the reduction of penny (2-cent) postage would be £150,000, roughly $1,500,000. This, he remarked, would be a small matter if everybody would be a subscriber, but he added that the government was asking the telephone subscribers to make up this loss. 000 ($600,000) annual expenses of the postmaster-general. It was the opinion that it was more important to have penny postage than very low telephone rates.

Just why telephone users, a comparatively small proportion of the community as a whole—should be singled out and compelled to bear a large part of the entire expense of furnishing the entire population with postal service at less than cost was, however, not made entirely clear.—[Telephony From

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VESSELS AT THIS PORT.

CATALINA SERVICE

ARRIVALS AND CLEARANCES AT WORLD'S PORTS

[BY A. P. RIGHT WIRE]

SEATTLE, Dec. 23.—Arrived: Iowa, Boston, 3:30 p.m.; Great Kent, Dutton, 1:30 p.m.; Los Angeles, Markhart, 9 a.m.; Admiral Farragut, Tacoma, 2:45 a.m.

Sailed: President McKinley, Yokohama, 7 p.m.; Monowai Prince, New Castle, 11:30 p.m.; Alliance, Valparaiso, 8:15 a.m.; Bushkirk, Kobe, 2 p.m.

PORT GAMBLE (Wash.) Dec. 22.—Sailed: F. S. Loop, San Francisco, yesterday.

HYDEN, Dec. 23.—Sailed: Minden, Baltimore, 9 a.m.

VICTORIA (B. C.) Dec. 23.—Sailed: Japan Star, Portland, 9:30 a.m.; Dumbarton Maru, Philippine Islands, 5:30 p.m.; Ocean Fleming, Honolulu, yesterday; Julius Lesler, Manzanillo, yesterday; Empress of Russia, Orient, 10 p.m.

PORT ANGELES, Dec. 23.—Arrived: Hall Bros. steamer Tahoma, from Portland at 1:30 a.m.; ballast to load at Port Angeles.

DUE TO ARRIVE
1 P.M. TO MIDNIGHT

DEPARTURES

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 22.—Arrived: Coyote, Redondo, 7 a.m.

Departed: Ruth, San Francisco, 9 a.m.

ASTORIA (Or.) Dec. 22.—Arrived: Johan Poulsen, 9 a.m.; Thordis (Norwegian), 11 a.m. Departed: Tyee Maru (Japanese), 11 a.m. Dec. 23.—Arrived: Driscoll, Los Vegas, 9 a.m. Departed: City of Victoria (British), 10 a.m., Orient.

PORTLAND, Dec. 23.—Arrived: Phoebus ——, from Ship, 9 p.m.; Washington, 9 p.m., San Francisco.

Sailed: R. J. Hanna, 11 a.m., Seattle; American (British), 11 a.m., Los Angeles; W. S. Porter, 7 p.m., San Francisco.

GRAYS BAY (Or.) Dec. 23.—Departed: Nanoose, 1 p.m., New York; Fushi Maru (Japanese), Columbia River; F. A. Warner, 10 a.m., Bay Point, Cal.

News of Ships and Sailings at Pacific Ports

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Merger of the General Steamship Corporation with the Transoceanic Company, effective January 1, has been announced by Harry S. Scott, president of the organizations.

The new line will operate under the name of the General Steamship Company. Both companies have virtually the same boards of directors and no changes have been made to facilitate operations, it was said.

The steamer Point Arena, bound from Los Angeles Harbor to Raymond Wash., for lumber, put in here today with her stern rudder broken. She is owned by the Pacific Coast Steamship Company and the Standard Oil Company.

The Weyerhaeuser Timber Company announced in charters for steamers of the United American lines, the Pioneer and the Hanlon, for shipments between Everett, Wash., and Baltimore. Charters have been arranged for three vessels with three United American ships already chartered for the Japanese lumber trade. It will reduce the tonnage of sailings in the line's intercoastal trade, it was believed.

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The Alaska-Hawaiian steamship Manoa sailed today for Bellingham after loading 2,000,000 shingles here for Baltimore and Philadelphia.

PORT TOWNSEND, Dec. 23.—Coming from the Orient with a small amount of freight principally bunker coal, the Admiral Line steamer Pacific freighter Cross Keys arrived here this morning.

The Canadian Pacific steamship Empress of Canada, which has been undergoing a general overhauling at Esquimalt, sailed today for Vancouver, B. C., calling here to clear.

BELLINGHAM (Wash.) Dec. 23.—The steamer New Britain arrived this morning from Seattle and is coaling at the municipal dock. She will take on a cargo of 1,000,000 feet of lumber for the east coast.

The steamship Bakersfield arrived here this morning from Everett to load 7,000,000 shingles, 2700 cases of canned fruit, 1000 bales and 975 barrels of preserved milk for Baltimore and other Atlantic ports.

RADIO REPORT

The Radio Corporation of America, in co-operation with the United States Public Health Service and the Seamen's Institute, will receive requests for medical and surgical service from ships at sea through the KSG station at Los Angeles Harbor and its KPH station at San Francisco without charge.

[BY RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA]
WILMINGTON STATION
Noon, December 22

GEORGE H. JONES, Los Angeles for New York, 615 miles south of Los Angeles.
STROMBUS, Dallas for Los Angeles, 502 miles south of Los Angeles.
SUCUSHACO, Newark for Los Angeles, 925 miles south of Los Angeles.
HUMUGENTUCO, New York for Los Angeles, 1109 miles north of Cape Mala.
THOMAS W. WHELEN, Baltimore for Los Angeles, 1382 miles south of Los Angeles.
FRANCIS E. POWELL, Philadelphia for Los Angeles, 500 miles south of Los Angeles.
D. G. SCOFIELD, New York for Los Angeles, 1645 miles south of Los Angeles.
LEHIGH, San Francisco for New York, 616 miles south of Balboa.
PEARL RIELL, Los Angeles for Providence, 2581 miles south of Los Angeles.
THOMAS MCKEAN, Philadelphia for Los Angeles, 1382 miles south of Los Angeles.
PENNSYLVANIAN, Los Angeles for New York, 963 miles north of Balboa.
J. A. MOFFETT, III, Los Angeles for New York, 677 miles north of Balboa.
EDWARD LUCKENBACH, New York for Los Angeles, 1158 miles south of San Diego.
PACIFIC, San Francisco for New York, 1305 miles north of Balboa.
C. R. MCCORMICK, Everett for New York, 3975 miles south of San Francisco.
A. C. SHEPARD, New York for Los Angeles, 1645 miles south of Los Angeles.
MATINICOCK, New York for Los Angeles, 2913 miles north of Los Angeles.
CHAS. PRATT, Los Angeles for New York, 1159 miles north of Balboa.

9 p.m. December 22

H. M. STOREY, New York for Los Angeles, 1200 miles north of Los Angeles.
K. R. KINGSBURY, Los Angeles for New York, 2913 miles north of Los Angeles.
W. H. HILLMAN, Los Angeles for Providence, 457 miles north of Balboa.

Noon, December 23

J. C. DONNELL, Havana for Los Angeles, 2115 miles south of Los Angeles.
TYNEHEAD, CITY, Los Angeles for Honolulu, 2116 miles west of Los Angeles.
MEMPHIS CITY, Balboa for Los Angeles, 617 miles north of Los Angeles.
STROMBUS, Balboa for Los Angeles, 502 miles south of Los Angeles.
MANCHESTERIAN, Hull for Nanaimo, 7 miles south of Los Angeles.
ELISHA WALKER, Los Angeles for New York, 2913 miles north of Los Angeles.
E. L. DOHENY, III, Los Angeles for New Orleans, 55 miles south of Los Angeles.
GEORGE O. TENNY, Los Angeles for New Orleans, 625 miles south of Los Angeles.
HASTER GALE, Balboa for San Francisco, 960 miles south of San Francisco.
JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, Los Angeles for New York, 2913 miles south of Los Angeles.
CADDOO, New York for Los Angeles, 1158 miles south of Los Angeles.
MITSUGORE, Los Angeles for New York, 2913 miles north of Balboa.
JOHN WORTHINGTON, Los Angeles for New York, 2913 miles north of Los Angeles.
H. M. STOREY, New York for Los Angeles, 2913 miles south of Los Angeles.
RAGOOD, New York for Los Angeles, 725 miles south of Los Angeles.

3 p.m. December 23

NOYO, Los Angeles for San Francisco, 350 miles north of San Francisco.
BARBARAC, Los Angeles for San Francisco, 40 miles north of Los Angeles.
CAMPANERO, Los Angeles for San Francisco, 125 miles north of El Segundo.
ADMIRAL PEARY, San Francisco for Los Angeles, 350 miles north of Los Angeles.
BONITALLA, San Francisco for Los Angeles, 110 miles south of Los Angeles.
BENTHLYK, Los Angeles for San Francisco, 350 miles north of Los Angeles.
MANILANI, Portland for Kobe, 2410 miles from Columbia river.
WEST IVAN, Portland for Los Angeles, 2422 miles from Columbia river.
WEST ENGLAND, Portland for Los Angeles, 2422 miles from Columbia river.
HAROLD DOLLAR, Portland for Yokohama, 4845 miles from Columbia river.
WAWALONA, Portland for Yokohama, 4794 miles from Columbia river.
WEST JENA, Portland for Yokohama, 4828 miles from Columbia river.
WEST JESSUP, Coos Bay for Portland, 8079 miles from Columbia river.
PAWLEY, Darien for Portland, 2990 miles from Columbia river.
ELKRIDGE, Portland for Kobe, 2742 miles from Columbia river.
CLAIRMERE, Hongkong for New York, 8300 miles east of Honolulu.
MARY LUCKENBACH, Los Angeles for Honolulu, 2 p.m.
FRUIT VOYAGER, Los Angeles for Kobe, 5951 miles from Los Angeles.
MANOA, Honolulu for San Francisco, 771 miles south of San Francisco.
WILHELMINA, San Francisco for Honolulu, 771 miles south of San Francisco.
MAUNAWILI, San Francisco for Sydney, 4295 miles from San Francisco.
WEST CAMACHO, Manila for Honolulu, 5369 miles west of Honolulu.
ENNAREN, Melbourne for Eureka, 900 miles south of Sydney, in ballast.
MAKENA, Bellingham for Honolulu, 1319 miles from Bellingham.
J. C. KIRKPATRICK, Los Angeles for Seattle, 960 miles from Los Angeles.
WAWAWOOD, San Francisco for Tacoma, 680 miles from San Francisco.
WAWEN, Seattle for Los Angeles, 720 miles from Seattle.
ALDEN ANDERSON, Los Angeles for Avon, 470 miles from Los Angeles.
ALBERT F. HEYFRON, Philippines Bay for Los Angeles, 6000 miles south of Los Angeles.
MELVILLE DOLLAR, Vancouver for San Francisco, 808 miles north of San Francisco.
ATLAS, Aberdeen to Richmond, 3228 miles from Richmond.
COLONEL E. L. DRAKE Los Angeles for Portland, 479 miles from Portland.
ST. HELENS, Columbia River for Richmond, 130 miles from Richmond.
SUPERTICO, Coos Bay for Willapa, 90 miles from Willapa.
WILLBILO, Grays Harbor for San Francisco, 92 miles north of San Francisco.
CHATTAHOOCHEE, CITY, Los Angeles to San Diego, 45 miles south of San Francisco.
J. HOFFETT, Richmond for Point Wells, 716 miles from Point Wells.
LA PLACENTIA, Port San Luis for Vancouver, 1100 miles north of San Francisco.
SANTA INEZ, Towing Schooner Rose Mahony, Everett for Los Angeles, 242 miles from Los Angeles.
DOROTHY ALEXANDER, San Francisco for Seattle, 804 miles from Seattle.
ADMIRAL BENLEY, Portland for San Francisco, 716 miles from San Francisco.
FLORENCE LUCKENBACH, San Francisco for Los Angeles, 380 miles south of San Francisco.
SAN FRANCISCO, Vancouver for San Francisco, 102 miles from San Francisco.
CACIQUE, San Francisco for Los Angeles, 380 miles south of San Francisco.
WILLBILO, Grays Harbor for San Francisco, 92 miles north of San Francisco.
GRUBEN CITY, Newport News for Grays Harbor, 60 miles south of San Francisco.
MOBILE CITY, Los Angeles for San Francisco, 400 miles south of San Francisco.
ALASKA MARU, San Francisco for Yokohama, 5100 miles west of San Francisco.
R. J. HANNA, Willapa for Richmond, flag vessel, Astoria.
CHARLES WATSON, Aberdeen for Richmond, 400 miles from Richmond.

[BY FEDERAL TELEGRAPH]
LOS ANGELES STATION
Noon, December 23

CANADIAN COOPER, Montreal for Vancouver, 124 miles south of San Diego.
CALIFORNIAN, Los Angeles for New York, 173 miles south of Los Angeles.
TIXIAN, New York for Los Angeles, 240 miles south of Los Angeles.
LIBERATOR, Chittenden for Los Angeles, 230 miles south of Los Angeles.
INDIA MARU, Vancouver for Panama, 160 miles north of Los Angeles.
MONTICELLO, New York for Los Angeles, 800 miles south of Los Angeles.
HARRY LUCKENBACH, Los Angeles for New York, 865 miles south of Los Angeles.
ORMIDALE, New Orleans for Los Angeles, 870 miles south of Los Angeles.
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, Balboa for Los Angeles, 939 miles south of Los Angeles.

8 p.m., December 23

SIERRA, Los Angeles for Bellingham, 30 miles south of Los Angeles.
SAINTE REDE, Cardiff for Gray's Harbor, 170 miles south of Los Angeles.
MANCHESTER—CIVILIAN, Hull for Nanaimo, 178 miles south of Los Angeles.
WAHKEENA, Los Angeles for Guaymas, 50 miles south of Los Angeles.
SAN LORENZO, Los Angeles for Buenos Aires, 21 miles south of Los Angeles.
OLYMPIC, Los Angeles for Columbia River, 814 miles south of Columbia River.
MULTNOMAH, San Francisco for Los Angeles, 42 miles north of Los Angeles.
REPUBLISHOR, New York for Los Angeles, 233 miles south of Los Angeles.
CABARETTA, San Francisco for Seattle, 117 miles south of San Francisco.
CORINTO, Manatlan for San Francisco, 435 miles south of San Francisco.
SAN JUAN, Los Angeles for Manatlan, 286 miles south of Los Angeles.
ANKARA, San Francisco for Balboa, 969 miles south of San Francisco.

HASHIMURA TOGO DISBELIEVES

Japanese Schoolboy in Terrible Quandary as Christmas Steals Upon Him and He Can't Stop it Nor Think There is a Santa Claus

MARY CHRISTMAS

To Editor Times who should do something brilliant about raising high tariff on red ribbons during month of Dec.

Dearest Sir:—

My brain refuse to ring bells in connection with annual Yale-tide jingling. Xmas will be Tuesday, yet what can I do to stop it? Approach up of that yearly giveaway festivity fill my elbows with fright. I could not get used to it, no matter how.

Shall I tell you why, Mr. Editor? Then get ready to be shocked.

I do not believe in Sandy Clause! Could you imagine that any person could be so disgusting like that? My thoughts gets very skipticble about that Saint who was made in Germany. It were just like I told my Cousin Nogi last Wednsdy p.m. when he come to borra my cigar for a while.

"Sandy Clause are a very Jenny-wine person," diciate Nogi. "Considerable people has met him."

"Considerable people met Doc Cook also," I dictate, "yet do that make him very jenny-wine,"

"It are the Gen. Belief that he keep an apartment in the N. Pole and come down sneekretly with sipries for everybody." Nogi say this with firm-tooth expression.

"Are you referring to Old Doc Cook or Old Doc Clause?" I ask to know.

"Old Doc Clause, natchilly," decry Nogi. "He are the friend of all doctors. Doc Frank Crane say, 'Every child should know him.' What you think now?"

"No child of mine, if any, shall shake hands with this Hon. Sandy Clause!" I otter. "No, Sarah! Nextly you know he will be selling them oiled stocks, which are too much."

"What make you so blue-hearted and pessimons?" ollicute my close Cousin. "Would you shoot away all childish happiness from England, America, Ireland & New Jersey by insulting Sandy Clause? Ah, wicked Togo! You would not speak thusly if you ever met this nice Clause gentleman!"

MET MR. SANTA CLAUSE

"Quite contrary," I did. "I speak thusly because I once did meet Hon. Sandy Clause."

"O goody!" exclaim Nogi: "Take me on your knee & &relate to me this happy Xmas tail of jingling snowballs, hollyfruit and good cheerio! At what time you met this Mr. Clause & when?"

"I tell you," I peruse with footlus expression peculiar to fried snakes. "It happen about 2 yrs. of yore while I was working for family name of Mrs & Mr Cutlass at Rock Pile, Conn. - This were a very Pluto family of high riches so I slep fashionably in nice bedroom resembling Pullman cars.

"It were the night before Xmas & all through the house. Everything prepared for Mary Xmas tomorra. Down in mane dining-room Mrs & Mr Cutlass were draping Tree with tinhorn fruit and other deceptive vegetables which would prove to their children Willie & Millie respectfully, that their parents was similar to Hon. Geo. Washington, disabled to tell a lie.

"Cousin Nogi, I spend happy evening there, listening through pantry while hearing those Cutlass family tell how they will play April Foolish joke on their unexpecting children. They would show them the place in the Steam Radiator when Hon. S. Clause come through. They would explain here the place where Hon. Cutlass axidentally drop a cocktail on the rug were a footprints from one (1) of Mr. Clause's rain-deers. All prepared for annual festival of untruth.

"'Oscar,' say Mrs Cutlass sweetishly, 'do you not think Hon. Willie are getting too old to believe in Sandy Clause?'

"'Not so!' derange Hon. Oscar. 'I were nearly 19 yrs. old before I stopped believing in Wm Jenny Bryan.'

"& ete until over 11 o'clock when I stop peeking and go up stairs so sleepy I was in a state of comma.

PREPARES GIFTS

"Up in my bedroom, Cousin Nogi, I lift open my trunk & fetch out all candiderable Xmas presints which I intend give to friends of Japanese and European extraction. For Uncle Nicht I got a patented tooth-brush what could be turned into a fountain pen or a cornknife by twisting it that way. For Little Annie Anaszuma, who are fond of fairy stories, I got a illustrated book entitle 'Jurgen.' For you, Cousin Nogi, I got a original Spanish hickory humidoor where you could keep the cigars you borra from me.

"And so onwards to include one (1) pair mosquito proof stockings for Miss Suzi Obi who I go see in summer and do not wish think of other things when I coddle next by her with moonlight in my conversation.

"Cousin Nogi," I say so, "I fetch out all those sweetish Xmas presints & laid them surrounding my bed. Tomorra, I think I shall contribute them to all friendships I know.

"Thinking thusly, I undressed my coat, pants & shirt which I carefully lynched on a chair. Then I go bed. O softly dreaming! O Mary Xmas eve!

"But pretty soonly I dived right out of my slumber. What that? A sound of noise in my room!

"Uplifting my tired brain I look upward and behelt! Somebody resembling Hon. Sandy Clause after he join the KKK come slooching through window. Distinctually I could see where he got his whisker tied up in a flower sack, his look very estranged to me.

"'O Hon. Sandy Clause!' I gollup with glue in my words. 'So joy to see you, I shall welcum you with bell!'

PACKS A SHOOT GUN

"'Welcum me with less noise if convenient,' he narrate, and did not seem very Christian.

"'But should I not dance slightly while singing Xmas carrole?' I negotiate.

"'Shs hear!' he grub. 'If you are not more silent knight in yr. behavoir I shall make you dance out of the other side of yr. mouth.'

"Then, Cousin Nogi, I observe something unnatural. Hon. Sandy Clause were holding an enlarged shoot-gun close to my frightened eyebrow.

"'Set still,' he nudge, 'and I shall have no trouble with you.'

"With immediate quickness he open one huj Bag and commence drop-in all Xmas presints what stood around my bed.

"'O horrus!' I holla. 'Sweet-hearted Mr. Clause, how darest you do that? Xmas are not time for robbery.'

"'Where did yout get that I do,' he ask to know. 'Now tell me where you keep watch & other money before I make a blow-off of your head.'

"While he snatch my Robt. G. Ingersoll watch & 4.89¢ from my sacred pants he kep on whistling a sallimental song of title 'There Are Smiles in Every Sunstroke.' At lastly he took everything, to include water-picher, my patented leather shoes, my Sunday school umbrella & etc. Hon. Bag got pretty full, by golly.

MAKES COLLACTIONS

"'Well, Mary Xmas, Togo!' he retork while lifting out of window.

"'O Sandy Clause,' I switch dreadfully, 'Do not go way before you answer me 9 or 14 questions.'

"'Be rapid about it,' He deploy. 'I have several other homes to make happy before sunrise a.m.'

"'Answer me this,' I snoll. 'I never met you before. But persons has told me that Sandy Clause burst into houses to bring things inward. But here I dishcover you bringing things outward. How is?'

"'In every enlarged business such as mine,' he betray, 'there must be two (2) Departments for satisfy both ends. One of those are the Distributing Dept.'

"'& what are the other Dept.?' I require nervely.

"'The Collection Dept.,' he chucker softy. '& I are working in that Dept. to night.'

With such exclammatus he grab fire-escape and elope away. I were sure he was Sandy Clause because I could hear him talking to his Rain Dears in snow-storm outside.

"Next morning a. m. Hon. Cutlass Family commence acting very 4th of July.

"'Somebody got in house and robbed away my silver-ware, my electric wrist-watch & 13 lbs diamond necklesses!' holla Mrs & Mr in unicorn. 'Togo, did you see anybody clumbing porches last night?'

"'Only Sandy Clause,' I devote punctilly.

"'Why you not tell us?' they renig peevely.

"'I wish him to be a sipriss, Mrs Madam,' I blemish.

"'Accept my Xmas wishes!' growell Hon. Mr., and when nextly seen I were flowing through a window with my knees in my stummick."

Hoping your are the same
Your truly
HASHIMURA TOGA.

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BENNY DIAZ WINS FROM FRANK NOVEY

Benny Diaz had a slight but evident margin over Frankie Novey at the end of the main event at the Lyceum Saturday night. The bout was fast and a draw decision would have disappointed nobody.

Roy Morrell and Sailor Valarano fought a draw in the semi-wind-up. Other bouts resulted as follows: Bud Cicerone and Benny Jordan, draw; Soldier Leroy defeated Sailor Cohoon; Young Douglas knocked out Young Elmer in the fourth; Mike Vasquez knocked out Young Santos in the third.

Too Valuable to Lose

Brown: What! Your wife hasn't spoken to you for a year! Why don't you divorce her?

Towne: Not on your life, brother. I'll never find another wife like that.—[Exchange.

Many Circuit Stakes Carded for Trotters

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Not since Sally Miller won the first colt race of record, at the hunting park track in Philadelphia, ninety-five years ago, have the pins been set for so many stakes and purses for two-year-olds and three-year-olds as are likely to be offered for the juvenile trotters in 1924. The number of such races last season was almost unprecedented, but it will be largely increased next year unless all signs fail.

Training stables everywhere are reported to be unusually well stocked with foals of 1922 and 1921. Upward of 200 of them were purchased recently in one auction sale in New York, where for the first time youngsters outnumbered the older horses and outsold them. More than thirty are wintering at Mineola track on Long Island. Goshen stables hold fully as many more and all the eastern training centers and particularly strong in those for young trotters, with whose future are very largely bound up the surprises, sensations and worth-while achievements of the next few years in harness racing.

Horses Once Used for Sacrifice

Abstention from eating horse flesh practiced even today by the Anglo-Saxons was originally a feature of their religion. Horses were never sacrificed by the Israelites, but the Turks, the Persians, the Scandinavians, the Teutons, and the Indians all regarded the horse as the sacrifice most likely to propotiate their deities, this no doubt owing to its comparatively high value.

EDISON BALL SQUAD CINCHES GONFALON

The 220 K. V. Edison nine cinched the Saturday League pennant by trouncing the Vernon Wizards, 9 to 3, in a game played last Saturday. Even if the 220 K. V. club loses all its remaining games it will still finish on top, but to date it has not lost a contest. Pace pitched for the champions. Next week the Edisons meet the Minor Building Company nine.

MERCHANTS WIN OVER FRESNO CUBS

The Western-avenue Merchants won their second game of the season when they downed the Fresno Cubs, 4 to 3.

McGraw chucked very excellent ball and Neales caught good. Score:

	R	H	E
Western Ave.	4	7	1
Fresno Cubs	3	11	4

Batteries — McGraw and Neales; Wenge and Johnson.

THEFT OF POSSUMS MAY INCREASE PRICE

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 23.—Events last night lead the police to believe possum prices may soar in Kansas City. Solly Mills, negro, 23 years of age, reported to the police the theft of seventeen possums he was trying to sell. "I was selling these for a dollar each, but unless I get 'em back I'll have to charge $3 each for the next batch," Mills lamented to the police.

Los Angeles Times
Annual
Midwinter Number
Out January 1st.

—It will surpass all previous editions, consisting of seven beautiful magazines, each set enclosed in a wrapper ready for mailing, a total of 240 pages. Profusely illustrated with color-plates, artists' sketches, and half tones. It sets forth the whole wonderful story of Southern California culminating in the tremendous growth and development of 1923.

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Telling more than you could write in a thousand letters, the seven Midwinter Magazines will take the reader on a pictorial and explanatory sight-seeing trip from seacoast to mountains, through cities and towns, over valleys and plains from semi-tropical gardens to bleak deserts. Included in the voluminous contents are:

What Southern California is, does and has
What it stands for.
How it work and plays.
What its goal is.
What it manufactures.
What it grows.
What it mines from the earth.
What it fishes from the sea.
World-beating harbor.
How it educates its young.
Behind the scenes at movieland.
New departments on Hawaiian Islands and Mexico.
Building activities.
What the tourist sees at mountains and seacoast.
Vistas of homes and gardens.
Achievements in literature, art, music, drama and science.
Churches, clubs, theaters, hotels.
Views of business district.
Snow-capped peaks and orange groves.
The romance of bygone days.
The magnitude and importance of the vast Southwest Empire of today.

For the Convenience of Patrons, The Times will mail copies direct from its mailing department to your Eastern friends and relatives providing lists of names are furnished, accompanied by proper payment.

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Order blanks may be obtained from your local Times agent, who will receive and forward lists of names; or, if more convenient, you can bring or mail lists to the Times main or branch offices.

Order in Advance. Each year, thousands of orders for the Annual Midwinter Number arrive too late to be filled. This year, due to the fact that everyone will want to send away more copies than ever before, it is especially desirable to place orders well in advance. To co-operate in giving the widest possible circulation to Southern California's amazing 1923 development, The Times has kept the selling price the same as last year, notwithstanding the heavy cost of publication and the increase in number of magazines from five to seven.

Barker Bros.
Complete Furnishers of Successful Homes
BROADWAY, BETWEEN SEVENTH AND EIGHTH

Home Gifts for Last-Minute Choosing!

UNUSUAL Home Gifts for those friends who seem to have simply everything that "money can buy."

—Dinner gongs from table types to great cathedral chimes—silken cushions for boudoirs, one never can have too many—open salts in sterling silver, that are so high in favor now—black glass vases beautifully etched—perfume burners, none other than gay parrots—the very newest of new tangerine tea sets!

GIFTS of great artistic worth that are doubly interesting because they cost but comparatively little!

—A brass knocker warrants mention because it is so unusual—candle sconces add tremendously to a room's effectiveness—picture frames to harmonize with the photograph in question—door stops, gaily colorful—enamel sets including tray, box for cigarettes and ash tray—a tall and graceful Steuben glass perfume bottle.

CHRISTMAS should add the furnishings to new homes that new homes sometimes try to do without!

—a tea wagon, for instance, most important adjunct to the pursuit of successful entertaining—and an ideal gift! —Or a cedar chest—a mirror for the wall that needs one —a piano bench cushion—colorful lamp—fireside furnishings—or interestingly unusual tables that living-rooms always need!

A HOST of gifts that spell comfort—certain to win Christmas favor with the "man of the house."

—Surely a great easy chair should head the list—the kind one sinks into to read one's evening paper!—Then there is the humidor—the smoking stand—the reading lamp—the footstool—the book rack that may be moved about to suit one's fancy—or the shaving mirror that matches bedroom group.

GIFTS that might be given to the whole family — because the whole family will enjoy them!

—Radio leads this grouping beyond the shadow of a doubt—think of the wonderful programs on the air every day and night for all to listen in on!—Then there are tables—a desk—a dining set—lamps—pictures—or easy chair!

HERE are gifts of enduring worth that one buys and gives for a lifetime or more of service!

—Sterling silver flatware, vases, service plates, trays, dishes, odd hollow-ware pieces—a piano—a phonograph —a clock of the type that is handed down from generation to generation!

USEFUL gifts to recall Christmas thoughtfulness to housewives the whole year through!

—Vacuum Cleaners to lighten household tasks every day—electric washers—electric dishwashers that do away with one of the most trying of all household duties—electric fireless cookers—electric irons that iron the dainty things quite as beautifully as the heavy—and the electric sewing machines, the newest models, that serve as beautiful pieces of furniture as well!

"FAMILY Gifts" that spell greater home comfort and beauty!

—Grates for fireplaces—heaters—a new rug for living-room or dining-room—colorful new draperies!

GIFTS for kiddies that make Home the happiest and the most interesting spot in the world!

—cunning bedroom groups in miniature—desks and chairs—rockers of every sort—play yards for wee babies—high chairs—cribs—baby carriages—bassinets!

TRIFLES that are such fun to give—and to receive on Christmas day!

—Cloisonne boxes for trinkets, cigarettes or even bon bons—Chinese crystal beads—an incense burner—book blocks—a vase—a picture—a candlestick—a linen, lace-trimmed scarf for one's dressing table—a guest towel—a bud vase!

PERSONAL gifts that one is privileged to give one's most interesting friends at Christmas time!

—Bedspreads that are different—and colorful—colored luncheon sets that remind us of olden days—the new chocolate sets in brilliant colors and striking designs—china—a silk comfort if one wishes to give a pretentious gift — towels — new vanity dresser sets of three pieces—an oriental mat of smaller size, or larger if one wishes to afford it—a piano scarf of silken beauty to harmonize with the room's color scheme!

ACCESSORY Gifts are so vitally important in Successful Homes!

—small electrical appliances, such as toasters, percolators, irons—dinner sets of china—glassware!